The making, description, and use of a small portable Instrument for & Pocket (or according to any Magnitude in forme of a mixt Trapezia Calledra Horizontall Quadran Composed and explosed soft for the benefit and use of such which are Rudious of Mathematical Practice Written and delivered by Delamain Student and Teacher of the Mathematickes. Attribute and prescripto tempore vite - vsteram nobis ingeny a Deus London printed for Richard Howkins and are to be fold at his shop in Chancery lane neere Sarjanes Inne 1632.





# TO The right Honorable and his much honoured Lo.

Thomas Lo. Brudenel, Baron of Stanton.

Right bonourable, and my very good Lo.

Our sengular knowledge in all excellent, and solid Literature, and your ever Heroicke, and Noble disposition
to the best kinds of Learning, are not
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other studies in your Lo. minoritie at the Vniverficie, you tooke no little affection, to the Mathematicall Arts, as by your Lo. owne Manu-Scripts and ex\_ cellent Bookes in your Lo great Librarie 7 have often feene; Besides, not onely by mine owne fundry conferences with your Lo. but also by the relation of others of. more mature judgement I have bin amply informed in these your L. more aged yeares not onely of your continued love to these Arts, but also that your knowledge in them far exceedes many of the Nobilitie of this kingdome. Now my Luben I caused the subject of this Tractat to be made for your Lo. last Summer (I meane your Lo. Horizontall Quadrant) 7 had not then any intention so soone to have pritten publikely upon it; But, having then but declared unto your Lo. the excellent and abundant use of the Inftrument

strument by the heads of the prapositions then slightly compiled, (farre exceeding the Instrumentall Way in this nature, that eyther Nobili. tie, Gentrie, or others are now acquainted with in this kingdome, for a recreative Instrument, as well for the copious use thereof, as its great facilitie, and expedition in operation) your Lo. then incouraging me to the publishing of it for a generall end; many Moneths after I considered thereon: and drew it up into a Body, and thus accommodatedit, as I here present it now unto your Lo.favourable censure, and Patronage (to be sheltred under the wings of your Lo. clemency against all calumniators and malevolents) as belonging especially to your Lo. sith you were the fole motive to this worke, and had both the use of the Instrument before it came thus

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thus to a publicke view, and the first Quadrant that ever was made common in this kind: accept therefore favourably I be seech your Lo. this small mite of my labours, as from the hands of one of your poorest servants (yet true affectionate) who shall alwayes acknowledge your Lo: Noblenesse towards bim, and ever rest

Your Lo.

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## To the Reader.



Efore I shew the Projection, describe the particulars, and deliver the uses of this Horizontall Quadrant, it will not bee impertinent, for the sa-

fisfaction of some, to give the Reader to underfland what moved me unto it, how it exceeds other Instruments, and whence it might be

drawne, and projected.

Now the ingenious aptnesse for Invention, and accommodating of things in a faire and expedite course for Mathmaticall Practices, of that late professor of Astronomy M. Gunter is not unknowne unto many about this kingdome, satisfying many of his friends (according to his free and noble affection) by Transcripts in that of more solid matter, but such of vulgar Practices he hath publikely made manifest for the use of all such as affect those Studies. In which worke many yeares past I tooke occasion to consider the Scheme, or Diagramme of the fourth Projection in his

his Booke of the Sector Page the 64. & 65. Weh according ashe faics is after the manner of the old Concane hemisphere (but being in truth a naturall Projection of the visible Hemisphere, that is, one Moytie of the Globe, projected on a Plaine) which Diagram and Projection is now chalenged by my Reverend good friend Master Oughtred, and it should seeme that Master Gunter had the Original of it from his labours, & invention, who composed and made the same so, for more then thirty yeares past, as appeares by his owne wrttings, & Manuscripts upon that Protection shewen me in the time of the Printing of this Tractat upon my Horizontal Quadrant, whose excellent knowledge in Mathematicall Learning may evidently confirme it : which Projection the faid Master Oughtred gave to the late Bishop of Winchefter, Dollor Tilfen, for more then 20. yeares past, and to some others of very good quality.

And it may also by a Letter from that most famous and admired Geometer, Master Henry Brigges unto Master Oughtred dated from Gre-sham College Iune, the 2. Auno, 1618. be collected that the said Master Gunter had the first overture of that fourth Projection, from the said Master Gunter doth here send you the Print of an Horizontal Diall of his drawing after your Instrument; And afterwards the said Projection was also presented by Master Gunter to many Noble Personages, and in particular to

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the Right Honourable the Earle of Bridgewater, causing it to be cut in Brasse, in such a forme as I have placed at the end of this Tractat, some uses of which Dial are extant, viz. the 2. 18.21. and 34. Pro. of the Index of Table following.

Now having considered diverte Pocket Instruments (that many men are practised in) & looked into sundry Projections, amongst which that of Gemmassism (there drawne in the Booke of the Sector) is of admirable use, yet making a more serious quare, & contemplating more intensively upon that Diagram, drawne and specified in that 64, and 65. Pages of the Sector (aforesaid) I found it farre to exceede all others in the Multiplicity,

and excellencie of performance.

If I should adde unto it a Kalender of sime, and an Index graduated with an Axis, and Perpendiculars to be erected upon it at pleasure: & referring only the Trapeziall forme, it should be sitted farre to exceede any portable Instrument for the Pocket, ever yet produced in respect of the general uses of it: in resolving such ordinary Propositions which are practiced in Astronomie, upon the Globe, Spheare, Hemispheare, Quadrants of all sorts, Astrolabe of Frisius, Blagrane, and others for facility, expedition, or certaintie, (like Magnitudes considered) for in these Instruments for severall times, and severall Propositions, there must be diverse rectifications of the parts belonging to these Instruments, and

that diverly by reason of their diversity: By this Horizontall Quadrant, the former rectifications are avoided, Contemplation & the eye being only the Index, the aptnesse, & fitnesse of the parts, and lines fo naturally projected, or described as they are upon the plaine of the Instrument (being a part of the Horizon the Parallels Meridians, &c Vertical Circles, that are contained or may be deferibed in our Larisude furficiently necessary ) induceth any one in the understanding of the uses of it that is but indifferently verfed in the linaments and principles of the Globe, what to speake, and what to answere in a Proposition without farther direction : And having had this Horizontall Quadrant for many yeares past, as a Pocket In-Strament, diverse about this Kingdome being importunate with me for to have it, or to pubhish the use of it, seeing its great facilitie, and expedition, in comparison of such Pocket Instruments as are now used, here, or in forraigne parts: I was willing at last after I had given order for the making of fower of thefe Instruments in Silver for severall Noble Personages, to disburthen my selfe of Transcribing the uses of the Infrument, and Tables for the making of it, to fatiffie those which were importunate, and to let others that are liudious in Mathematicall Practices also participate of it.

Now, what I have delivered vpon the accommodating of the Instrument thus, the making thereof, with the uses that I

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#### To the Reader.

have delivered in this Traitat upon it following: Iacknowledge due to none Inferious affifant, but to mine owne Industry, search and labour, and that 64. 65. and 66. Pages of the Booke: of the Sector before specified in which is onely shewne the 2.3.19.22.25.2nd 30. Propesions of the Index, or Table following, as uses of the said Projection.

But I have extended them to many more, and abundantly, and plentifully supplied the obscuritie of that Schome, or Diagramme there drawne (as for a generall good) in the use of this Horizantal Quadrant. I deliver therforesist the making of it, first by the Sector (somewhat different from that of Master Gamers) secondly by Geometrie, and lastly I shew a third way, how it may be Projected and made by my Mathematical Ring, and by Numbers, which I have Calculated and accommodated to that end in Tables, for more exactnesse. Part of the general scope, and use of which Instrument I deliver in the Index, or Table following.

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Gunters Quadrant, with many other Instruments, now used, but let these be sufficient
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# Of the Making of the Horizontall Quadrant by the Sector.



Inft, according to any Semidiameter as ZN. or Z S. describe a Circle representing the How to de-Horizon, and draw the line S N. for the parallels. Meridian: Divide the halfe Meridian ZN. and Z S. into 90.gr. according to the Tan-

gents of halfe their Arkes, by the helpe of the Sines on the edge of the Settor: or the femidiameters may be divided into fuch parts; or points as are required concerning the Projection, thus. Confider what parallels you would describe, and how much they are distant from the Zenith in their intersections, in the Meridian both towards the South and North of the Zentth (for every parallell in an oblique Spheare, in his intersection with the Meridian, is farther from the Zenith in one part, than in an other) Then if the semidiameter Z N.be placed over in the figne Complement of halfe that distance, from the Zenith, the parallell Sine of the former halfe taken from the Sector : thall from thew the interlection in the Meridian with that parallell.

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Now if the semidiameter Z.S. bee placed in the Sine Complement of A.viz. 76.gr. and then the parallell Sine of A taken, viz. 14.gr. it will reach from Z. to S. the intersection of the Tropicke of S with the South part of the Meridian, but if the semidiameter Z.S. be placed over in the Sine Complement. B.viz. 37.gr. 30.m. & then the parallell Sine of B.viz. 52.gr. 30.m. being taken it will reach from Z to V. the other intersection of the Tropicke of 69 with the Meridian below the Pole, the Middle betweene this V. and 69. will bee at I. which is the Center of that Tropicke: In like manner may be found the intersections, and Centers of the other parallels with the Meridians, and so may be described.

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reach from Z. to T.the center of the houre of 6. E P.W. but if the Radius Z.S. be fitted over in the Sine Complement of halfe 38.gr. 30.viz.70.gr.45.m. and the parallell fine of halfe 38. gr. 30.viz. 19.gr. 15.m.be taken, it will reach from Z.to P. the Pole, then upon T. erect a perpendicular to the line P T.viz.2. T.10. which shall serve for the finding of the Centers of the Meridians, or houre Circles passing through the Pole P. now seeing that T P.is the neerest distance in the right line 2.10.unto P.the right line P.T. shall be Radius, to a Circle, and the line 2.T.10. thal be a Tangent line to that Circle. Now the Radius of a Circle being knowne, the Tangent of any Angle, or Arke, may be also knowne, according to the Naturall projection and congruity of lines, but because in this first direction we ewould apply it foly to the Sector: the center of the Meridians or houres may be had by the helpe of the Sines thereon thus.

Consider what hours, or Meridian circle from the houre of 6.viz. E.P.W. you would discribe, for then if the Radius P.T. be fitted over in the Sine complement of it and the parallell Sine of the houre Angle Taken, it will show from T, in the line 2.10. the center of that Meridian, or houre circle: so if the houre circle of 5. or 7. were

to be described, whose houre Angle at P, the Pole is 19. gr. fit the Radim or semediameter T, P. over in the Sine complement of it viz. 75.gr. for then the Sine perallell of 15.gr. being taken will reach from T, to 5. and from T, to 7, the Center of the houre circles of \$ and 7. If therefore one foote of the Cumpasses be placed in s.and then extended to P. the Pole, you may describe the houre Circle of 5. and placed in 7. you may draw the houre Circle of 7. and so may be described the rest of the Meridians . and houre Circles.

Thirdly, to describe the Eclipticke, consider the distances betweene the Zenith Z. and the Tropicks of Vy. and 69. To deaccording to the former Lat. of 51.gr. 30, which will be Z, scribe and 19 75.gr. and Z. 25.28.gr. then take the femideameter Z, S. Eclipticke and fit it over in the Sine of those Arkes, then the parallell Sines of the Complements of those Arkes will thew from Z. the distances of the Centers of these Tropicall points, so the Center of the Southerne semiejrcle of the Eclipticke, will be neare the Pole P,viz.at vp. and the Center of the Northerne semicircle of the Eclipticke will be below the Pole at S. Therefore placing one foote of the Cumpasses in S. below the Pole, and extending the other foote to S. above the Pole you may describe the lemicircle E, S.W. and placing one foote in Vp. neare the Pole, you may describe the semicircle, E, W, W.

Now for the dividing of the Eclipticke; this Mr. Gunter delivers to obstrally in his 66, page of the Sector. That if a man had not more fundamental! Mathematicall Doctrine, then his Booke teacheth, he should never attaine unto it: Confider therefore first, what right Angle Triangles there are made by this Eclipticke, Equator and Meridians, viz, YB X. or YB 8: YR 2. or YRI, &c. and get the right afcention of these Arkes of the Ectipricke hat you intend to divide, fo V, B. is the right afcention of the Arkes Y, &, and Y, X. and Y, R. is the Right alention of Arkes Y, II, and Y, 200, from which ground the Table S. is calculated according to the Arkes in the Eclipticke in the Table R. Now to finde the Centers of those Meridians which may divide the Eclipticke according to the

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Right afcention here calculated answerable to TR. the Arkes of the Eclipticke from V or mit nothing differeth from the instruction of the 10 9.11 describing of the houre Circles, in the second 15 13.48 derection: for if I would interfect the Eclip-20 18.27 ticke in the beginning of &. X. W. or m. the 25 23.09 distance of either of those singes from V 30 27.54 or = is -30.gr.against which in the Table, s.is 35 32.42 27.gr. 54.m. Now if the semidiamiter P T.be 40 37.35 fitted over in the fine Complement of this 27. 45 42.3 I gr. 54.m.viz. 68.gr. 6.m. and then the parallell 50 47.33 fine of 27.gr.54.m.being taken it wil reach fro 55 52.38 T.to 30.in the line 2. T.10. if therefore one 60 57.48 foote of the Compasses bee placed in 30. to-65 63.03 wards 10. and the other foote extended to P. 70 68.21 you may interfest the Eclipticke in & and X. 75 73443 and then the Compasses placed in the other 80 79.07 30. you may intersect the other part of the E-85 84.32 clipticke in my and m. and so may you divide 90,00 the rest of the Eclipticke.

## Of the making of the Horizontall Quadrant Geometrically.

First, having discribed a Cirrle at pleasure as before, E.S. W.N. draw a line to passe by the center as S.N. and crosse it at right Anglés, with the line E.W. in Z. then let the semcircles W S E and W N E. bee divided from W. each of them into 180.gr. or rather upon E. wee may discribe a Quadrant at pleasure, as C D. and augmenting it unto w, divide the Quadrant D C. from D. into the usuall divisions of a Quadram, and so from D. unto w, insert or protract the same divisions, then having considered as be-

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fore the Latitude of the place, and distance of the parallels from Z. the Zenith, towards S. the South, and also towards N.the North, in the Meridian as in the former Table there is specified. Account the distance of the parallels from the Zenith towards S. the South, in the semicircle W S E. but those towards N the North, in the semicircle W N E. from W. so supposing the Latitude as before to bee \$1.gr.30.m. the distance betweene the Zenith & the Trofrom W. to F. but rather halfe of it from D. to F. then par allels. consider the distance betweene the Zenith and the other part beyond the Pole, viz.105. gr. number this from W. to G. but rather halfe uf it from D. to G. and laying a ruler upon E.F. and E.G. the Meridian A B. may be interfected in 69. and V. the middle, betweene which will be at 1. the Center of the Tropicke: in like manner the distance of the Aguator from the Zenith towards the South is 51.gr 30. reckon it from W. to H. or halfe of it from D. to H. but the distance of the Aquater from the Zenith towards the North beyond the Pole is 128. gr. 30.m. which I account from W. to I.or halfe of it from D. to I, then laying a ruler upon E.H. and E.I. the Meridian A B.may be interfected in Q and Y. the halfe distance betweene 2 and T. will be at 2. the Center of the Aguater: In like manner may the Meridian A B. bee divided into any of the rest of the divisions, and the parallels also difcribed: But if a ruler be fastned to move upon E. then may you foftly move the ruler from D. towards w. and as itpaffer by the degrees according to the Colume B. of the Tables following, beginnig at the bottome, so the edge of the ruler shall shew the intersections that the parallels of declination betweene the Tropickes do make, with the Meridian Z. S. then move the Ruler foftly along from D. towards C.as it passeth by the degrees in the Colume G.beginning at the bottome, so the edge of the Ruler shall interlect the Meridian A.B. in the Centers of those parallels.

Secondly, account the Latitude from D to M. and halfe the Complement of the Lat. from D to R. and laying a ruler

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ruler upon E Mand E Rathe Meridian, & N. shall be interlefted in T. and P. P. representing the Pole of the world, and T the center of the house of 6. then unto the line T P. tipon the point T. erect 2 perpendicular 2. 10. houre lines and according to the lemidiameter PT. defcribe a femicircle a T 6. divide the Quadrants T a and T 6.from T. each of them into 90.gr.then lay a ruler upon P. and the feverall houre Arkes in the Quadrants, T a. and T 6. inter-fect the line 2.T. to in the houre points, 2.3.4,5.7.8.9. 10.8c.then placing the Compasses in T. and extending the other foote to P. you may discribe the houre Circle of 6. but placing it in f. and extended to P. you may discribe the house Circle of 5. the same extent placed in 7. will discribe the houre Circle of 7 and fo of the selt: but if a ruler be fastned to move on P. as it passeth by the degrees of the houres in the Quadrants from T. so the edge of the Ruler shall interfect the line 2,10. in the Centers of those houres from T.

Thirdly, to describe the Eclipticke, consider the Altitude To describe of each Tropicke above the Horizon, according to the Laand divide ritude given, which was \$ 1. gr. 30.m. So the Altitude of vp. the Eclipis 1 f.gr. and that of 60. is 62.gr. In the Quadrant D C.acticke. count those degrees from D. Viz. D y and D A. lay a ruler

upon E.and those severall points, so may the Meridian S. N.be interfected in the points yp. and 6g. which are the Centers of the semicircles of the Belipticke, therefore placing one foote of the Compaffes in 69.below the Pole, and extending the other foote to 69. above the Pole, you may discribe the Northeren semicircle E.60.W. and placing one foote of the Compasses in vp.neere the Pole, and extending the other foote to Vp.ncere S. you may describe the Southerne semicircle E vo W. those semicircles of the Eclipticke may bee divided Geometrically, without the helpe of the Table of right afcention, but for more expedition we may use them thus. In the Quadroms T a. and T 6. account the degrees of the right ascension for such divisions of the Eclipticke as you intend to have, suppose the beginning of & X or mm the distances of the beginning

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therwise projected: In which it exceeds any Instrument what soever for facility, and expedition, for where there is many proportionals required in any service, there the use of the Ring is most excellently made manifest, they being instantly declared at once, which in some sort I have delivered in the use of my Appendix upon plaine Triangles, or it may be drawne from that of Proportionating the Fort, to the Fort, or the Building, to the Building, Pag.

Et a Circle bee discribed according to any capacity, as Constanti.

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EZW.and 8 Z N.then take the femidiameter EZ. and

divide it into 10. parts & Supdivide each of those parts into 10.or 100. (according to the capacity of the scale) as A. or more accurately according to the ame Radius make a diagonall seale, then consider the distance of the parallels from the Zenith according to the Latitude you intend, as admit 51.gr. 30,m. to be the Latitude as before. Take the halfe of those distances (according to the first directions) by which is made the Colume B. which are the halfe distances of every degree betweene the Tropickes and the Zenith, then move the Tangent of 45.gr. unto the parts of the Radius or famidiameter, viz. 10000. in the Circle of Numbers, so right against the Tangent of any one of those degrees in the Colume B.in the moveable is the Number calculating of equall parts in the fixed, by which is made the Colume C. (or they may be extracted out of the Tables of naturall Tangents.) Further if we consider the distance betweene the Zenith and the other intersections of those parallels, with the Meridian beyond the Pole, and take halfe of those diffances wee may make the Colume D.then moving the moveable foftly along, as the Tangent of any degree of the Colume D.in the moveable, passeth by the parts of the scall, viz. 10000. in the fixed (on the Circle of Numbers) so the Tangent of 45.gr. in the moveable, shall point out in the Circle of Numbers, the distance betweene Z. and those parallels beyond the Pole. From these directions are calculated the Numbers in the Colume E.or they may bee also taken from the Table of naturall Tagents as before: The Numbers of the Colume C and E. serve to finde the distances of the interfections of the parallels in the Meridian fro Z.& to discribe those parallels, note that at the bottome of the Columes C.& E. are the Numbers, 2493. 2 13032. take 2403. from the diagonall scale, and protract it from Z.towards S.viz.at 3.then take from the fame scale also, 13032.and protract it from Z. to S. below N. divide the space betweene S. and S. into two equall parts which will be at 1.neere P. so have you the Center of the Tropicke of B.extend the Compasses therefore from 1.to 3. then may you describe that Tropicke, viz. S. &. In like manner

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manner may you draw the other parallels, but for more ease we may take halfe of the differences of the Numbers in the Colume C and the Colume E. and so may we have the Colume F and then with greater expedition wee may protract the Centers of these parallels, from Z. for if 5269. Which is at the bottome of the Colume F. (& betweene the former two Numbers) be taken from the scale, and protracted from Z it will reach unto 1. the Center as before, and so any Number in the Colume F. is the distance of the Centers from Z. of his opposite Number in the Colume B. or A. by which Columes C. and F. you may describe all the parallels, betweene the Tropicks

from degree to degree.

But for more exactnesse it were convenient to shew in what points of the Arke &. E. T. the parallels of declination interfect it, if truly described, and may be found by Page 57.0f the Appendix upon the Ring, where is shewne to finde what Amplitude belongeth to the Sunnes declination, for any Latitude by moving the Sine of the Complement of the Latitude; uiz. this of London, 38. gr 30.m.uuto the fine of 90. in the fixed, fo every degree of declination in the moveable shall point out the Amplitude in the fixed by which is had the Numbers of the Colume T. the funs Amplitude belonging to the declination of the Colume R. Now if the Quadrant. ES. EN.WS.WN.bc divided from E & W a ruler layed upon the Center Z. and to patte by the degrees in the feverall Quadrants answerable to the degrees of the Colume T the Arkes of mand (6. shall be noted in such points as the parallels of the declination thould interfect.

Secondly, move the Tangent of the Latitude in the moveable viz. 51 gr. 30 m. unto the former part of the Radius or scale. viz. 10000. in the Circle of Numbers in the fixed,

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5	11 12 13 14 15	17.51 19.31 21.11 22.52 24.34
2	16 17 18 19 20	24.34 26.07 28.01 29.46 31.32 33.20
1	21 22 23 3.30	35.09 37.00 38.53 39.50

fo the Tangent of 45.gr. in the movable shall point out 1257 17 in the Circle of Numbers in the fixed, which taken from the scale A.and protracted from Z. to T. it shall be the Center of the houre of 6, upon T. erect a perpendicular 2 .T. 10. ferving for the Centers of the other houres : then move the Tangent of 45:gr. to the parts of the scale, viz. 10000 in the Circle of Numbers, and confider the distance betweene the Zentth and the Pole, viz. \$8.gr. 30.m. the Tangent of halfe of it in the movable doth point out in the Circle of Numbers 34021. which taken also fro the diagonall-scale, and protracted from Z. will reach to P. the Pole, through which all the houres must be drawns, and the Centers of which hours in the line 2.10. from T. may be had thus: which two numbers 1257 17.8 34921. I place over the Columes H. and 1.

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According to the distance P.T. make a scale B. (or rather culating of a diagonall fcale) to containe 10000. parts, then move the the dittard Tangent of 45.gr. to the parts of this scale in the Circle of ces of the Numbers, viz. 10000. so every degree in the mouable amongst the Tangents unto 45.gr. doth point out in the Circle of Numbers, the distances of the Centers of those degrees from T.in the line 2.10. by which the Colume H. is made, then moving the moveable foftly along as the Tangent of any degree in the movable above 45.gr. passeth by the parts of the scale B. viz. 10000. in the Circle of Numbers, fo the Tangent of 45 gr. in the moveable, paffeth by the distance of the Centers of those degrees from T.in the Circle of Numbers in the fixed, above 10000. by which is made up the rest of the Colume H.viz. 1. by helpe of which Colume H.and 1.the houres may be thus drawne.

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Marke, what Numbers are against the houres in the Gribing of Colume H and 1. for if those Numbers be taken from the the houses scale B.and protracted from T. in the line 2.10. they shall be the Centers of those houres: so in the Colume H.against the houre of 7.0r 5. is 2679, which take from the scale B. and protract it from T.to 7. and from T.to 5. in the line 2.10. then placing one foote of the Compasses in 7. and extending the other foote to P. describe the houre of 7. and one foote of the Compasses at the same extent being pla-

sed in s. shall also describe the houre of s. In like manner may be protracted from T.out of the Colume H. I.the Centers of the other houres with their intermediats, and so also described.

But here note, that it were convenient to finde the Interfections of the houre lines (and their intermediate degrees) with the Horigon as before was delivered of the interfections of the parallels of Declination with the Hori- Of the fin-200, and it may be drawne from my Ring thus. Move the ding the

Tangent of 45.gr. in the [A] moveable unto the fine of the Latitude, viz. 51.gr. 30. m.in the fixed, then right against the Tangent of any degree from the houre of 6. in the fixed, is the Tangent of the degrees of the interfection of the houres, and the intermediate degrees with the Horizon in the moveable: from which drawne, and is onely for

1.16 12 15.12 23 28.29 houre with 2.33 13 16.26 24 29.38 the Hori-3 3.50 14 17.40 25 30. 48 zon. 5.16 15 18.54 26 31.56 5 6.23 16 20. 7 27 33. 4 6 7.39 17 21.20 28 34.12 8.55 18 22.33 29 35.19 8 10.11 19 23.45 30 36.25 1911.27 20 24.57 31 37.21 1012.4221 26.08 32 38.36 direction is this Table 1113,57 2227.18 33 39.41

these degrees which intersect the Horizon in the Calender, The .... but it might have beene extended further. Application of which is thus : Account in the Limbe of the Instrument fro E. (the point of East, ) any degree in the Colume B. and lay a Ruler thereto, and to the Center Z. fo the intersection thereof in the Horizon shall shew the interfection that the houre line, or degree opposite thereanto in the Colume A. maketh with the Horizon. In like manner I might have delivered the Tables of the interfection of the houre lines with the parallels of declination, which would serve of great use in large Instruments, to describe thele degrees, which are neere the houre of 12.

Now to describe the Ecliptic & consider as before the hight of the Tropicks above the Horizon, in the Latitude given, viz. 51.gr, 30.m. fo w will be 15. above the Horizon, and Will be 62.gr. high. Then move the Tangent of 45:

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unto the parts of the scale A.in the Circle of Numbers in the fixed, viz. 10000: fo right against the Tangent of 15: gr.in the moveable is 2679 the distance of the Center of the Southerne semicircle of the Eclipticke from Z. which I place in the Colume over M. and against yp. then move the moveable foftly along untill the Tangent of 62 gr.bee right against 10000 in the Circle of Numbers, so the Tangent of 45 gr.in the moveable, shal point out 18807. on the Circle of Numbers in the fixed: The distance of the Center of the Northerne semicircle of the Eclipticke, from Z. which I place in the Colume over P.against S. if these numbers be taken from the scale A. and protracted from Z. they will reach from Z. to Vp. and from Z. to 5, and fo placing one foote of the Compasses in Vp.neere the Pole, and extending the other foote to VA. neere S. you may de-Scribe the Southerne semicircle of the Eclipticke E. W.W. and placing one foote of the Compasses in S. below the Pole, and extending the other foote to Sabove the Pole: you may describe the Northerne part of the Ecliptiche E, 5.W. and those semicircles of the Eclipticke may be divided as followeth.

How to make the Table to divide the Eclipticke

Move the Tangent of 45. unto the Sine of 66. and 30. To right against the Tangent of the degrees of the Sunnes Longitude in the Eclipticke in the moveable, are the Tangents of the degrees of the Sunnes right afcention in the fixed, or they may be had by refolving of a Triangle, in which there will be oo. feverall operations, but by this Ring they are given at one rectification, and onely by a glance of the eye: for proportionals either in Sines or Tangents are had by the Ring, with the fame expedition that Numbers are had, As by the use of the Gircles of Sines and Tangents upon the projection of this Ring, in diverle particulars is declared in the Appendix upon the use of the Ring; and so according to the former Construction is made the Columes L. and O. for 45. being brought to 66. gr.30.m.as before, right against 10.gr. in the moveable, is 9.gr. 1 1.m. in the fixed against 20.gr.in the moveable, is 8.gr. 28.m.in the fixed, and so of the rest. Then move the Tangent of 45.gr. to the parts of the scale B. viz.

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10000. in the Circle of Numbers, fo right against the Tangent of the Arkes in the Colume L. in the moveable are the distances of the Centers of those Arks, from T. in the Circle of Numbers in the fixed, and so is made the Colume M.& if you move the moveable foftly along as the Tangent of any degree in the Colume O. passeth by 10000 the parts of the scale B. so the Tangent of 45. in the moveable, passeth by the distances of the Centers of those degrees from T.in the Circle of Numbers in the fixed, by which is made the Colume P. or they may bee had from

the Table of naturall Tangents.

Then by the scale B. protract the Numbers, out of the Co- To divide lume M.and P.from T.in the line 2.10. for they shall bee the Eclipthe Centers of those degrees of the Eclipticke, which are ticke. opposite unto them, viz.in the Columes K. and N. so if I would interfest the Eclipticke, in the beginning of &. X. W.or m.each being distant from V.30.gr. which I feeke in the Colume R. and finde right against it in the Colume M.5294. which I take from the scale B. and protract it from T.to 30 in the line 2.to. Now placing one foote of the Compasses in 30. next 10. and extending the other foote to P. the Eclipticke may be interfected in the points of &. and X. and placed in 30. towards 2. the same extent will Interfect the Eclipticke in W. and m. In like manner may the Centers of the rest of the degrees of the Eclipticke be protracted in the line, 2.10. from T. out of the Columes M. and P. and so all the Eclipticke divided from degree, to degree: but this may be otherwise done.

Besides that which is delivered touching the drawing of the Parallels, Eclipticke, and Houre lines, there remaines yet how to put on the Callender, to graduate the Index, and to draw, and divide the line of Shadowes.

This may be eafily done from the Table R. Calculated, and accommodated to that purpole for the yeare 1640, and may fufficiently serve for many yeares after, without any

sensible error.

Having divided the Quadrants, E.S. and E.N. (as before Conftruinto the usuall degrees of a Quadrant,) lay a ruler upon frion.

the Center Z. and account the degrees from the point E.

in the Quadrant towards N. and S., out of the Table R. fcribe the according to the feverall Columes of the Table Rand In-Callender terfest the Quadrants, with small short lines, so shall the Arke of the Horizon of the Instrument from E.be divided into the usuall dayes of the Month, which is the Callender and the beginning of these divisions, may be at the 10. of March, and so going on to the 11.of June, and then againe to begin from the 10.of March, and go on unto the 10. of December, and these dayes may bee noted upon the inside of the Horizontall Arke with thort lines from E.as before, and at every Month may bee placed a representative letter for that Month, and every 10. and 5. day of every Month, may bee noted with a small stroke somewhat longer then the rest, to helpe the memory the readier to number. In like manner may the rest of the dayes of the Calender be intersected in the out side of the Horizontall Arke, toyvards the Limbe, beginning at the 13. of September, and fo going on to the 11.of June, then againe from the 13. of September, and going on unto the 10. of December, and these Months may bee also noted with fignificant letters, appropriate to each Month, and each 10. and 15. day of the Month, may be also denoted as before, with a stroke somewhat longer than the rest, according to the Scheme against Page the 1.

## How to graduate the Index for the Instrument.

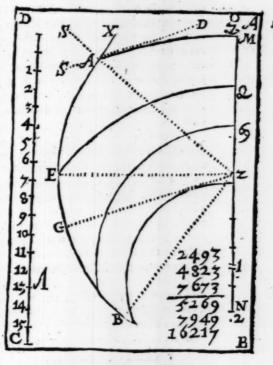
Let the Index be equall to the se midiameter, Z.E. and then may it bee divided out of the Table Q. by the helpe of the scale A.beginning at the Center : the Index being divided, and placed on the Center of the Infrument at Z. it shall helpe to put on, and divide the line of shadowes. as followeth.

Lay the edge of the Index to A. in the Limbe which is neere the 10.of December, and move it to any degree in the Table S. and account the like degree in the Index, and then make a marke upon the plaine of the Instrument where that degree toucheth, and so goe on from point to point, until the whole line bee described and divided, according to the Table S. This line might bee placed between the Calender and the Limbe, or in a Quadrant, &c. But I have caused it to bee described as is seene upon the Scheme against Page the 1. for expedition and conveni-

ency.

Now if any defire to inlarge the Instrument to a proportion affigned, or to describe the Trapeziall forme in the greatest proportion upon a plaine given: without curiosity, it may bee done thus.

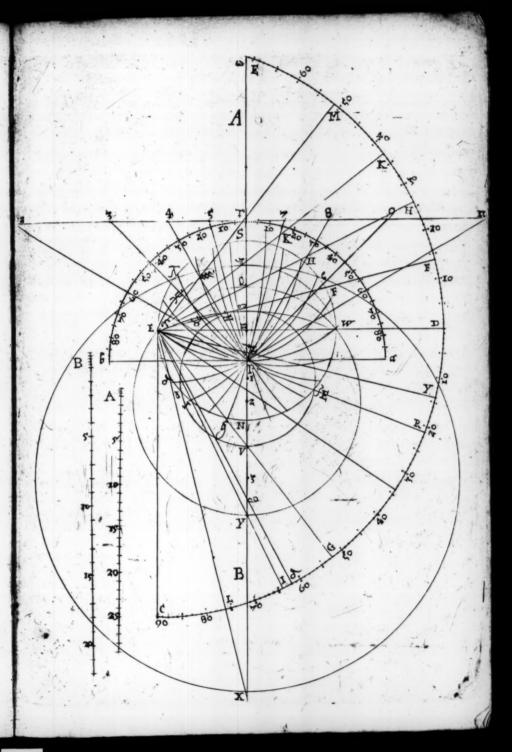
Let A. B. C. D. be a plaine divide the length A. B. within halfe an Inch of the higher end, and an Inch of the lower end, in to 3 equall parts which suppose the line M.N. then divide each part into halfe so the line M. N. shall bee di-



vided into 6.equall parts, the middle of which will bee at Z. Then take 4. of these parts for Radius, and on Z. describe the obscure Arke, A. E.B. and upon Z. erect a perpendicular to the line M. N. to cut the Arke A. B. in E. novy from E. to A. protract 40. gr. and

from E. to B. protract 50. gr. fo the Angle E. Z.M. shall be go. and also A.Z.B. shall be go.. Now having made a scale of Z.E. like to the scale A. according to the former directions) then out of the Colume C.and by he'pe of the faid scale A. from Z. you may protract Z. 5.2493. Z.Q.4823 and Z.797673. and from the Colume F.y u may protract the distances of the Centers of those interfections from Z.viz.Z.1.5269.Z.2.7949.and Z.3.16217. and so placing the Compasse in these Centers, you may describe the Equator, and both Tropicks. But if Z. Mand Z. N.be divided according to the scale A.then from Z.you may account the interfections of the parallels, and distances of the Centers, and so describe the parallels with greater expedition, and so shall you have the Scheme or Trapeziall forme of the Instrument, B. A. Vy. 3. and may bee finished according to that against Page the 1. by the Tables and directions here calculated, and delivered to that end.

Now to augment the Instrument to any proportion affigned, as if betweene the Tropickes were supposed to bee 10. Inches, the Radius might be found out, or if the Radius were 4. foote, (which is according to mine owne Instrument:) what distance might there bee betweene the Tropickes: the proportion would be as \$16. to 1000. fo the breadth to the scale, or as 1000. to 516. fo the scale to the breadth: therefore by the Ring, bring \$16. in the moveable, to 1000 in the fixed, so right against any Radius in the fixed, is the distance betweene the Tropickes in the Moveable, or against the distance assigned for the Tropickes in the Moveable, is the measure of the Radius or Scale, in the fixed : So if vp. 3. be allotted to be 10. Inches, for the distance betweene the Tropickes, the Scale, or Radius, of the Instrument should be 19 4. fere: but if the scale or Radius were 4. foote, or 48. Inches, then the dis stance betweene the Tropickes of Vo, and So. will be neere 24 \_77. Inches. Thus for the making of the Instrument, the description of which followeth.



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### The Description of the Horizontall Quadrant.

The forme of this Instrument is like a mixt Trapezia. appeares against Page. I. where of two sides are right, and the other two sides are Circular, which falleth out to bee so from the nature of the Projection, and that part which I have thought most convenient for use, and is fully sufficient for that which I have delivered upon it; and may be made of any plaine Materiall, but sittest in Braffe, or Silver: the severall parts of which Instrument are sive, viz. the Backe, the Face, the Sights, the Index, and the divisions, and lines projected on the Face.

First, the Backe of the Instrument, is a part of Gemma Fristus projection, whose particular description and admitable use I intend here after as God shall give life and A-

bility to make manifest.

Secondly, the face of the Instrument, is that upon which

the Index, and fights are placed on.

Thirdly, the Sights are the small peeces of Braffe in which there is in each a little hole to looke through, or the sunne beames to passe through, and are fastned upon the Face of the Instrument; one of which Sights is neere the Center of the Instrument, and the other is neere the

Circumterence thereof.

Fourthly, the Index, is the movable peece of braffe, fastned at the Center, upon which also two other fights may be placed, the edge of this Index is divided and noted thus. 10.20.30.40.50.60.70.80.90. which are called the degrees of the Index, and there is adjoyined unto it three small plates to be rectified as occasion requires, one of which is called the Axis, and the other two are perpendiculars.

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Fiftly, the lines described on the Face of the Quadrant are fixfold.

> The Limbe and its Parallets. The Kalender and its divisions. The Aquator and its Parallets. The Eclipticke and its divisions. The Houre lines and their intermediates. The line of Shadowes and its divisions.

First, the Limbe is the outmost Circle, which is divided into 140.gr.and noted at every 10.degree thus, 10.20.30. 40.50.60.70.80.90.and each of these degrees is divided into parts according to the Capacity of a degree in the

Instrument.

Secondly, the next parallell line to the Limbe is the Horizon or Kalender, which is noted with letters thus, 1.A. S.O. N.D. I.F. M.A. M.I. of which I in the first place stands for July, A.for August, S.for September, O.for October. &c. then againe on the infide, 1. Stands for landary, F. for February, &c. each letter representing its Month, and each of those Months is divided into dayes by small short lines, whereof the 10. and 15. day of every Month is fignified by Numbers, or elfe by a line somewhat longer then any of the others, to helpe the memory the readien to Number, and for more promptnesse of finding the day of the Mentilian the Kalender as occasion requireth, and

Thirdly, The Equater is that line that meeteth with the tenth of March, and the thirteenth of September in the Kalender, and is divided into degrees, and numbred thus, 10.20.30.40.50.60.70.80.90. and the parallels to the Equator are these lines which are on each side of it; every 5. degree of which being noted thus, 5.10.15. 20. the outmost of those Parallels on each side of the Equator are the two Tropickes that which is nearest the Center, is called the Tropicke of 5, and that which is farthest of, is called the Tropicke of vp, those two Tropicks, the Kalender, and the houre of 12. comprehend the whole Projectin: and here note farther that these parallels are called parallels of the day of the Moneth, as well as the parallels of the Sunnes Declination, according as they shall be vsed, and farther below the Tropicke of Cancer is a graduation of the common houres of a Horizontall

Dyall; some vse of which is showne, by pro. 3 6.

Fourthly, the Eclipticke on the inftrument is represented by two quarters of the Eclipticke which croffeth the former parallels, and meeteth with the Equator, in the Horizon or Kalender, in the former 10 .of March, and 13. of September: that Quarter which is towards the Center of the instrument, serves for the Northerne semicircle of the Eclipticke, and that which is farther from the Center ferves for the Southerne semicircle of the Eclipticke; & each of these semicircles is divided into the Signes of the Zodiacke, & charactered accordingly thus, V. S. H. S. N. m. ... m. T. W .. ... X. Of which the first 6. Signes are called Northerne figues and are in the Northerne femicircle, & the other 6. Southerne fignes & are in the Southerne Semicircle. And each of those fignes is divided into 30. gr. and if the Instrument be large, each of these degrees may be divided into 6.or 12. divisions more, So every division shall accordingly containe 10. or 5. Minuts.

Fiftly, the houre lines are those that crosse the Aquator and his parallels, and are noted, or numbred in the Tropicke of S with numerall Characters thus IIII. V. VI. VII. VIII. IX. X. XI. XII. And are the forenoone houre notes: those hourelines serve also for the afternoone houres, and are noted likewise with Arithmeticall figures, for the houres in the afternoone thus, 1.2.3.4.5. 6.7.8. each of those houres is divided into 3. parts, each part being 20. minuts: and each of those parts is subdivided againe into 5. parts, so that each part containeth 4.minutes, and so the whole houre is divided into 15. parts or degrees, each part or degree being 4. minuts as afore, and so the whole houre shall containe 60. minuts or parts: and here note that these Houre circles with their intermediates are also called Meridians or degrees of measure, and are Numbred by tens in the Æquator, from the meeting of the Augustor with the Eclipticke, as before thus, thus, 10.20.30.40.50.60.70.80.90.

Sixtly, the line of Shadowes is that which makes a fahe ricall Equilaterall Triangle upon the plaineof the Inftrument, the base of which is the Horizon, or Kalender and one of whose legges is below the Tropicke of 5 and the other croffeth the Tropicke and parallels, and meeteth with the Kalender neere in the 10. of December: both of those equall fides are called the line of fbadowes, and are divided alike into 10. vnequall divisions, and each of those divisions againe is divided into 10 other divisions, and againe each of them into other 10. (if the Instument be large.) The first Capitall 10. divisions are noted with Arithmeticall figures thus, 1.2.3.4.5.6.7.8.9.10. of which 1. is at the very meeting of the two lines, not farre from the Center, which fignifieth Equal! the figure of 2. Double: the figure of 3. Triple, the figure of 4. Quadruple: the figure of s. Quintuple. O'c, Thus for the making, and description of the Instrument, the use of it now followeth,



# Of the Vses of the Horizontall Quadrant, specified in the Index or Table, formerly deliveted.

Or which some have relation to the observation or appearance of the Sunue, others without observation, or sight of the Sunue.

The Vses of these which are knowne without seeing the Saune, are 30. of the said Index or Table, as followeth, viz. the 2. 9. 10. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. 19. 20. 21. 23. 24. 25. 26. 27. 28. 29. 30. 32. 33. 35. 37. 38. 39. 40. 41. and 42. of which 13. of them will be showne onely by knowing the day of the Month, viz. the 18. 33. 21. 19. 25. 24. 35. 2. 38. 37. 20. 41. and 42. 25 followeth.

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- 1. The botere of Summerifung, fotting, and length of the day.
  - 2. The Sunnes difference of Ascention.
  - 3. The Sunnes Declination.
  - 4. What dayes are alike in length, and what day the Sunne rifing in the one, fhall be the Sunne setting in the other.
  - 5. The Sunnes place, or degree in the Eclip-
  - 6. The Sunnes right Afcention, and ob-
- 7. The boure, and Altistude of the Sunnes comming East, or West.
- 8. The distance of the Sunnesrifing, or fetting, from the Enst, or West.
- 9. The height, or depression of the Sunne in the Meridian here, or for any Lautende.
- 10. The time of day breake, and end of twy-light.
- 11. The inequality of time, betweene day breake, and Sunne rifing.
- 12. The boure, and Altitude of the Sunnes comming upon any declining wall.
- 13. At what houre, and Altitude, the Sun must have to be opposite or perpendicular, to a declining wall.

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First, to finde the time of Sunne Pro. i. rising, or setting, and length of the day, for any day of the yeere.

Seeke the day of the Month in the Kalender, Confirm and the bonre line that meeteth therewith, Eso. I sheweth the time of Sunnerifing, or fetting.

So if the day of the Month were the 13. of Oslo-Exam.

ber, the parallell that meeteth therewith is the hours, viz. 7. of the clocke, at which time the Sun rifeth: the same bonre is noted also with 5. which is \$ time of Sun setting that day, this doubled makes Io. the length of the day required.

Secondly, to finde the difference Pro.2. of Ascention, for any day of the yeere.

Marke what Meridian meeteth with the day Construe of the Month in the Kalender: as suppose the day Elio. 2. to be the former 13. of Ottober, which is the boure line of 7. and 5. (as before) and account the Numbers of Meridians to the boure of 6. so have you 15. gr. or an boure, which is the difference of Ascention for the 13. day of Ottober required.

Thirdly,

### Pro.3 Thirdly, to finde the Sunnes declination for any day.

Constru Marke what parallell of Declination meeteth Eiso.3. with the day of the Month in the Kalender, and account how many degrees it is from the Equinottiall, so have you the Sunnes Declination for that day.

Exam. So if the day were the last of August, the parallel that meeteth therewith is the 5th from the Equator, and somuch is the Samues declination, that day, viz. 5 gr. North declination.

Pio.4. Fourthly, to finde what dayes in the yeare are alike in length, and what day the Sunne rising in the one, shall be the Sunne setting in the other.

For the fost, note that the dayes betweene the toth of December and the 11th of lune, are dayes of Increase, and the rest are dayes of Decrease. Now right against any day of decrease in the Kalender, is the day of increase, which dayes are equal one to the other. So the 19. day of Exam. May, is against the 4. of luly, at which time the Supperiseth and setteth alike without sensible error,

error, viz. 4. of the clocke, and therefore those dayes are of equal length, and so of others.

### For the second, to finde what day the sunne rising in the one, shall be the sunne setting in the other.

Admit the day to be the 18th of February and according to the first pro. finde the time of Sunne Exam. rising, which is at 40. m. after 6. of the clocke Constru-for that day, and the setting 20. m, after 5. then marke what day of the Month the hours line of 20 m, after 5. in the forenoone, meeteth with the Kalender, which will be the 23. of August, so the 18th day of February the Sun did set at the same hours that it did rise, the 23. day of August.

Fiftly, to finde the sunnes place, or Pro.5 degree, for any day of the yeere.

Month crosseth the Eclipticke, that is the Sannes Construplace. So the former parallel of the 13th of October of meeteth with the Eclipticke in the beginning Examination of m, and X, but which of these is the Sunnes place the quarter of the yeare may easily tell you, viz. m which is the Sunnes place or the degree in the Eclipticke for that day.

Sixtly.

## Pro.6. Sixtly, to finde the Sunnes right ascention, and oblique ascention at any time.

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Consider what Meridean meeteth with the Sunnes place in the Eclipticke for the day given, and marke the number of Meridians in the Equafor (for the Meridians are numbred in the Equator, as is fayd before in the description) so have you the Sunnes right Ascention: but here note that the degrees in the Eclipsicke are numbred forward and backeward in the Eclipticke unto 360. gr. upon this Instrument: fo are the right Ascentions of those degrees also numbred forward and backward in the Agnator: for the right afcention of any degree in the Eclipticke, is that degree of the Equator which is opposite unto it, (the fuccession of the fignes considered ) so if the Som were in the beginning of m, the right Ascention is neere 208. degrees; for the Meridian that paffeth by the beginning of m, is accounted in the Equator from Y, and is within 6.m, of 28: gr. Wen the right effcention of sis 90.gr. and the beginning the of a, is 180 gr. and from the beginning of , to the beginning m, is within 6.m, of 28.gr. as before, all is which put together makes neere 208. gr. the right Afcention of the Sun the 13th day of October.

### To find the Sunnes Oblique Ascention at any time.

Notethat the difference of Ascention, is the Confirm difference alwayes betweene the right Ascention Gio. 8. of the Sun, and the oblique Ascention thereof: therforethe right Ascention known by the last directio, & the difference of Ascention by the second direction, the oblique Ascention is easily had, by Addition, or substraction thus. If the Sun be in a Southerne figne then the oblique Ascention, is greater then the right Ascention, by fo much as the difference of Ascention comes to: but if the Sun be in a Northerne signe, the oblique Ascention is fo much leffe: which difference of Ascention as before by the 2 Pro: for the faid 13th. of Ottober was 15.gr. this ad unto the right Ascention of the beginning of m, viz. 208. gr. makes 223. gr. the Suns oblique Ascention for the beginning of m, on the 13th. day of October; but if the Sun had beene in the beginning of &, the oblique ascention would have beene onely neere 13.gr.viz.12.gr.54.m.

Seventhly, to find the suns Alti-Pro.7. tude, and houre of the suns comming East, or West, any day of the yeare above the Horizon.

Here note that this Proposition holds in use #10.9.

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onely for that time of the Suns being in the Northerne signes that is from the roth of March to the 13th. of September: therefore lay the Index to the East, or Aquinolitall point noted with E.or 40. & 50 in the Limbs: so have you instantly at once without farther rectification both the Alistude and boure of the Suns comming East or West, above the Herizon for all or any of the dayes above specified: so the parallel of any day of the Moneth meeting with the edge of the Index gives the Suns Alistude in the Index, and the Meridian meeting therewith shewes the boure.

Exam.

So if it were the second of May, or the 22. of Inly, the parallel belonging to those daies meetes with the Index neere about, 23.gr.17.m, and there also meetes with that point, the houre line of 7, and 5. which sheweth that when the Sun is 23.gr.17.m, high either upon the second of May or the 22. of Inly, then the Sun will be due East or West, and that will happen to be at 7 of the clocke in the forenoone, and 5. of the clocke in the afternoone.

Pro.8. Eightly, to find the distance of the suns rising, or setting, any day of the yeare, from the East, or West, called the suns Amplitude.

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So if the day were the 13th. of Ollober the num- Examober of degrees from the points of East, noted with 40. 50. unto the Index is 18. gr. 40. m. which is the Suns Amplitude for the given day, viz. the 13th. day of Ollober.

Ninthly, to know the suns Me-Pro.9 ridionall Altitude, or the suns depression under the Horizon, at Midnight here, or in any Latitude, for any day in the yeare.

Lay the Index unto the hours of 12, and where Construthe parallel of the day of the Moneth meeteth Hio. 11. y therewith shalbe the Sans Meridionall Alistude. Exam.

So if it were the 13th day of Ottober, as before, the parallell, for that day is 11.gr. and a halfe from the Equator South: this croffeth the Index in 17.gr. which is the Sunnes Meridionall Altitude that day. Now for the Sunnes depression at midnight, here is to be noted, that any degree of the Eclipticke is at any time so much below the Horizon, as his opposite degree in the Eclipticke, is above the Horizon at the same time.

Therefore where the contrary parallell of the flion. 12. Sunne viz. II. gr. and a halfe North, meeteth with

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the Index in the houre of 12. that shall beethe Sunnes Meridionall depression at midnight, the faid 13th day of Ottober.

Pro. Tenthly, to finde the time of daybreake, and end of twy-light, with the Polition of the sunne under the Horizon for any time.

> This proposition, hath reference to the Sunnes depression under the Horizon, for it is said to bee day breake or twi-light to end, when the Sun is. 18. gr. under the Horizon: therefore the Con-

struction in this will be thus.

Constru-Etio. 13.

Account 18 gr. on the Index then move the Index untill that degree meete with the Contrarie parallel of Declination for the day given, fothe Meridian or Houre-line that meeteth therewith shall bee the houre of day breake required.

Se if the day were the 10. of Aprill, the paral-Exam. lel of Declination for that day is North II. gr. and a halfe which I feeke out one the other fide of the Equator viz. II. gr. and a halfe South Declination, and Marke where the 18th gr. of the Index meeteth therewith, for there also is the houre of day breake viz. with in 20. m. of 3. in the Morning, and 20. m. past 9. for the end of emi-light the fayd 10th. of April, also the Index in the Horizon at that Instant thewTheweth the position of the Sun under the Harizon viz. neere 48 gr. 10. m. to the North of the East: but if the day had beene the 13th of Ottober the houre of daybreake had beene 2 minuts before 5. and twi-light would have ended 2. m. after 7.

Eleventhly, to finde the inequal-Pro. 11. little of time, betweene day breake and Sun rising, for any day of the yeare assigned.

By the first Construction, for the dayes given Construct. finde the time of Sun rising, and by the former 13th Construction the bours and time of day breake belonging to those dayes: then compare the time betweene the Sun rising, and day breake of the one, with that of the other, so the difference of those two, shall bee the difference of time required.

Example.

March the {Sunrising is at \$6.00 The sime of the difference of the day breake, at \$4.11 the difference of the day breake, at \$12,37 the difference of the difference of the difference of the day breake, at \$12,37 the difference of the difference o

So the difference of time betweene day breake and Summe rising the Ioth of December is neere a quarter

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of March; but more then an houre and halfe longer betweene day breaks, and Sun rifing the toth of May, then the 10th of March.

Pro. Twelfely to finde the houre, and
Altitude of the sunnes comming
upon a Declining wall any day of
the yeare.

Seeing the declinations of Plaines or Walls, are accounted from the points of East or west in the Horizon , as the funnes Amplitude is the numbering of them therefore shall bee alike, in the Limbe of the Inftrument . Now admit the Decknation of a Plaine or Wall, to be 22. gr. the opperation would be thus. The Index being fet thereetion. 15. to, you may instantly fee at what boure the Summe will come upon the Plaine, for any day in the yeare; for where the parallell of the day of the Moneth croffeth the Index amongst the hourelines, (which Index represents the Plaine) that is the bours of the Suns comming upon the Plains and the degrees in the Index gives the Sunnes Beamp. Akitude. So if the Sunne were in the Tropicke of the Tropicke meeteth with the Index almost Within 5 m. of 9 in the Morning, and at that time the Saune commeth upon the Plaine, and there the Tropicke cuts also the Index in 45. gr.

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40.m. which is the funs Altitude at that time that y sun wil glance or begin to faine upo the Plaine.

As for the time of the suns continuance on the Plaine (as is specified in the Index or Table) account the Declination, on the other side of the East point, and lay the Index thereto, so the edge of it in the Tropicke of , will point out at what hours the Sun goes of the Plaine viz. at 6.0 fthe clock & 38.m, neere; if the declination were West, (as here it is supposed) which added to the time of the suns coming on the Plaine, makes 9. houres 33.m, & so long the sun shines on the Plaine.

Thirteenthly, to finde at what Pro. 13. houre, and Altitude the sun must have to be opposite, or perpendicular to a declining Plaine, any day in the yeere.

Let a Plaine decline from the East point to-Example. wards the South 22. gr. account this in the Limbe Canstru-from the boure of 12. and lay the Index thereto, so the parallell that crosseth the Index, doth shew the Sunnes Altitude, and the Meridian meeting therewith, gives the boure, at which time the Sun will be opposite to the Plaine; so have you at one instant for every day in the yeare, at what boure and Altitude, the Sunne will bee opposite to the Plaine.

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Thus touching the resolution of the sormer 13 uses of the aforesaid Table, or Index which had reference only to the knowledge of the day of the Month, there are 13. other uses of the foresaid Index, or Table viz. the 10.12.32.39.40.23.17. 16.26.27.28.29.30. Which have no dependance upon the sight of the Sun, of which the 6 sirst are resoluted, only by knowing the day of the Month, and the other 7-are as followeth.

viz by knowing the day of the Month to finde.

- 1. At what boure the soudow of an Altitude is equall, double triple, & counto it.
- 2. At any boure and Alsitude of the Sun, or Azimuth, what proportion shadowes bave to their bodies.
- 3. The houre of the day agreeable to any Altitude, or Azimuth.
- 4. The Suns depression and Azimuth at any hours of the night Assigned.
- 5. The hours of the day to our Antipodes, by suposing the Suns Depression nuder the Horizon.
- 6. At what hours in any day the Suns Azimuth and Altitude will be equal, and how much the Altitude and Azimuth will be.

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8. The inequalistic of time in equal moneths.

or equall number of dayes.

9. The degree of the Aquator in the Horizon, by supposing any degree of the Eclipticke in the Horizon.

10. The degree of the Eclipticke in the Horizon by supposing the degree of the Equator

in the Horizon.

11. The degree of Medium Cali, or the degree of the Eclipticke in be Meridian, by supposing the degree of the Eclipticke in the Horizm, vel contra.

12. The Horoscope, or the degree ascendant, or descendent, and the Nonagessima de-

greeat any boure.

13. What Angle the Eclipticke makes with she Horizon, or the Altitude of the Nonagessima degree, & what Azimuthit is in at any houre.

#### First, to finde the Proportion of Pro. Ihadowes to their Altitudes 14. at any time.

Asit it were required the 20 of April, at what Declarahoure of the day, and how high the Sun must be tio. either in the foreneone or afternoone, that the sha-

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dow of a man or any Altitude, shall be equal unto his height double, triple, quadruple Quintuple &c.

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Let the Index unto the numbers in the line of Shadowes viz.to 1.2.3.4.5.&c. and wherefoever any of these divisions in the line of sadowes meete with the Index amongst the degrees; there it sheweth what height the Sun must have, to make the stadower equall, double, triple &c. to the Altitude So laying the Index upon I in the line of Shadowes, it meeteth with 45.gr.in the Index: & fo high the San must be to make the shadow of a man or any thing equall to his height upon an Horizontall plasme: then move the Index to and fro, untill the faid 45 gr.in the Index meete with the parallel of the day Month, viz the 20.0f April, so the houre line that meeteth therewith, is the boure of the day that the shadow of a Man : or other Altitudes, will be equal to his heigth or Altitude, viz neere 10. of the Clocke in the forenoone, or 2. of the Clocke, in the of ernoone.

fore-afternoone.noone. tho.m. Cho. m. gr.m. C26.337 Double. 7. 37 4. 23 And according to the fam directions when madows Triple. 18.26 6. 43 5. 17 Quadruple. 11.19 and the boare the faid 2 6. 16 5. 44 5. 58 6. 02 Quintuple. 464 6. 14 Sextuple. 9. 8. 5. 37 6. 23 Septuple. 7 5 .. Offuple. 7 5. 31 6. 29 7. 7. 7 6. 20 6. 35 Mnocuple. 5. 25 43 ] 5. 21 Decuple. 6. 39 5. Vigecuple. 15.

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Secondly, to finde what proporti-Pro.
on shadowes have to their bodies 15.
at any houre in the day,
Azimuth, or Altitude
of the Sun asigned.

If the hours be knowne, or supposed, move the Constru-Index until it meete with the hours in the parallel stio. 18. of the day of the Month, so the intersection of that parallel with the Index is the suns Altitude, and the edge of the Index, in the Limbe, will shew the Suns Azimuth, then move the Index until the degree of Altitude intersect the line of shadowes, so shall you have the proportion of shadowes, to

their bodies required.

So if on the I Ith. of Aprill at, 7.0f the Clocke in Exam. the forenoone, (if the Sun shine,) it were required what proportion the shadow of a man shall beare to his height, or the shadow of an Altitude to the Altitude, the parallel that belongeth to the given day is neere 12.gr. Marke where this parallel meeteth with the given houre of 7. and bring the Index to it; so have you the Suns height at that houre viz 18.gr. 26.m, and the edge of the Index in the Limbe of the Instrument, shall give the Azimuth viz 4.gr. from the East: then move the Index, untill the degree of the Suns Altitude

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wiz 18.gr. 26.m, meete with the line of Badowes which will be in 3, which the weth that at 7. of the Clock in the forenone the faid 11th. of Aprill, the Badow of a man, or the Badow of an Abstrace, shall be Triple to his beight: the like will be at 5. of the Clocke in the afternoone, for equall distances of the Sun from the Meridian the same day, without sensible error, will give equall Alistudes of the sun, and equall Alistudes of the sun, and equall Alistudes of the sun doth produce equall Badowes upon Horizontall Plaines.

Constru-Aio. 19.

Secondly, if the Position or Azimuth of the Sun be knowne or supposed, which admit 4 gr. from

the East towards the South.

Lay the Index unto it in the limbe, & marke what degree in the Index the parallel meeteth with, which is with 1 8.gr. 26.m, so have you the suns Altitude in the Index: then move the Index until y degree meete with the Line of stadowes; so have you the proportion of shadowes required at that inflant, viz Triple as before.

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Thirdly, if the Suns height be knowne or supposed, which admit 18.gr. 26.m, account it in the Index, and moove the Index until that degree meete with the line of the Cadowes; so where it interferent the line of the Cadowes, there you have the proportion of Badowes to their bodies at that inflant of time required, which will be triple as before; so the 10th. of Aprill if the boure be 7. or the Altitude 18.g. 26.m, or the Azimuth 4.gr. from the East toward the South, the proportion of Badowes to their bodies will be Triple.

Thirdly,

# Thirdly to finde the houre of the Pro. day agreeable to any Altitude or Azimuth, for any day of the years Proposed.

Index, and move it to and fro untill that degree & 21.

meete with the parallel of the day of the Month:

fo the Meridian that passeth by that point, shal

be the houre required.

Thus if the day were the tenth of March, the Sun Exam. being that day in the Aquinochial, & the Aluindo supposed to be 32 gr. 37. In, this I seeke out upon the Index and move the Index till that degree meete with the Aquator; so the Meridian or houre Circle that passeth thereby is the boure viz. 10. of the Clocke in the forenoone or 2. of the Clocke in the afternoone, and if you move the Index softly along as the degrees of the Suns Aluindo in the Index intersect the Aquator (and so of any parallel:) so the Meridian that meeteth therewith is the boure of the day agreeable to that Alundo.

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As suppose it were 36. gr. 35, m, from the Exam.

South: Move the Index in the Limbe unto this Azimuth known or supposed; so where the Index crosseth the parallel for the day given, there the Meridian that meeteth therewith, shewes the hours of the day viz 10. of the Clocks in the fores moone or 2 in the afternoone as before. And if you move the Index softly along, as the Index passeth by any Azimuth in the Limbe: so the edge of the Index shall intersect the parallel of declination for the day of the Month, in the hours of the day agreeable to that Azimuth: by which proposition and the last, Glasses may be easily placed to burne according to the Suns Azimuth, or boure assigned.

Pro. Fourthly, to finde the suns depref
fron, position under the Horizon, at any hours of the night, with
the hours of the day to our Antipodes, by supposing the sun any number of degrees under the Horizou.

ConstruBy the 11th Construction it is said that any destion.23. gree of the Eclipticke, is a sinuch belowe the Horizon at any time, as his opposite degree is above
the Horizon at the same time: therefore if the
Index be layed to the like parallel, on the contrary
side of the Aquator, that meeteth with the given
houre

bokrethe intersection in the Index shall shew you the degree of the Suns depression under the Hori-

zon at that houre.

So if at 10 of the Clocke at night the faid Igth Exam. of Ottober it were required to finde the Suns depression under the Horizon, consider the declimation on, or the funs parallel for that day, which is I 1.gr. and a halfe South, which declination I feeke in the other fide of the Aguator, and marke where it meeteth with the boure of to. unto which I laythe Index, fothe edge thereof in the Limbs sheweth the suns Azimuth to be nere 42 gr.30.m, from the South, and the parallels interfection that meeteth with the Index, gives the Suns depression, viz. neere 43. gr. and fo much is the Sun below the Horizon, and in that position the I3th of October at 10. of the Clocke at night.

But if it were required at what bours of the Night the Sun would touch the verticall Circle

of East and West under the Horizon.

Lay the Index to the point of East and marke Construwhere about the Contrary pallet meeteth with thio,24. the Index, for these you have both the houre and

the degree of the Juns depression.

So the day being as before the 13th of Ollober, Exam, & the declination fourb II.gr. and a halfe, this account among it the North declinations & it met teth with the Index in 38 m, past 6. the bours of the Suns being West, and with all the sans depression, at the fame time is neere 14.gr.and 50.m.

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Pro. Fiftly, to finde the houre of the 18. day to our Antipodes, by supposing the suns depression under the Horizon.

Constructio. 25.

Consider the declination for the day, and move the Index to and fro untill the degree of the suns depression in the Index, meeteth with the like parallel or the other side of the Equator, so the bours that meeteth ther with is the hours of the day

to our Antipodes.

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So if on the 20th of April, we should suppose the sun to be 13.gr. under the Horizon, & desire to know the house to our Antipodes, the parallel of declention for that day is 15.gr. North, Now in the Index account 13. degrees and move it to and fro untill the said thirteenth degree in the Index meete with the 15th parallel of South declination, so the Meridian that meeteth therewith is the house of the day to our Antipodes, within 2 m, of 9. at night.

Pro. Sixtly, to finde at what houre in any day, the suns Azimuch and Altitude will be equall,

and how much the Altitude and

Azimuth will be.

Constru- Move the Index, to & fro untill the edge of the dion.

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Index meete with the parallel belonging to that day, in the same Number of degrees that the end of the Index in the Limbe from the point of East doth; so have you the degree of the Suns Azimuth, and Alistude equall the one to the other, and the Meridian meeting with the Index in the parallel of the given day, sheweth at what boure that Azimuth, and Alistude will be equall.

So admit the fun to be in the Tropicke of 5, the E x ams Index being moved to and fro untill there be like degrees in the Index, and in the Limbe, which will be neere 16. gr.45. m, and there the bourse that meeteth therewith is 12. m, after 6 in the forenoon, at which bonre the eleventh of Inne, the Suns Azimuth, and Akitude, will be equally viz. neere 16.

gr.45.m, as before.

Seventhly, to finde what number Pro.
of dayes any time of the yeare, 20.
willmake the day an
hourelonger or shorter.

Account 7. gr. and a halfe amongst the Meridi Construans from the given day in the Kallender, and note &io. 27. the day of the Month against it, then number the dayes betweene that day and the given day, and you have the answer.

So if the day were the last of February, or the Exam. first of March, consider the Suns setting that day by the Instrument, which is 40.m, past 5. this doubled

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makes the length of the day, I I. houres 20. m, then from the last of February account 7. gr. and a halfe and it will point out the fifteenth of March at which time the Sun setteth at 10. m, past 6 which doubled makes 12 houres 20. m, so the fifteenth of March, the length of the day is an houre longer then it was the first of March; and the difference of time only but 15. dayes, but if the number of daies were accounted to or from the Sunsentring into the Tropical points, it will be more then 35. dayes before the day will be an houre longer or shorter.

Exam.

So if from the tenth of Inne we should account 7.91 and a halfe amongst the Meridians from that Meridian that meeteth with the tenth of Inne, it would fall out at the 16th, day of Inly, at which time the day will be an boure shorter then it was the tenth of Inne, and the intervall of time more then twise as much as the former viz. 39. dayes.

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## Eightly, to finde the inequalitie of time, in equall Mounthes or equall number of dayes.

This proposition at the first seemes as a Paradox, yet by this Instrument may easily be resolved, and so consequently from Mathematical principles demonstrated, not onely the inequalitie of equal Months, but also the inequalitie of Natural dayes.

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Now a day naturall according to the generall definition is one revolution of the Aguator or primum mobile, that is from fun rifing to fun rifing or it is the time wherein the fun paffeth by the Meridian, and commeth to the Meridian againe, commonly taken for 24. houres : but be cause that in that intervale of time the sun passing from the Meridian and commeth to the Meridian againe, the Sun moves according to his Warrall motion (secundum antiquiorum traditionem) neere a degree more or leffe; therefore the Naturall day shall be some what longer or shorter then 24. houres, viz.by fo much as the difference of right ascention of that degree of the Echpticke comes to that the fun is in, and feeing the degrees of the Eclipticke amongst themselves have not the same difference of right Ascention that the other degrees have, (notwithstanding the degrees of the Eclipticke amongst themselves being equall the one to the other) the funs motion ender those degrees being fometimes quicker, and fometimes flower, it will necessarily follow that the fun will move more or leffe untill the fun can touch the Meridian, which is the limit or tearme of the funs diurnallrevolution as before: this difference and inequalitie of time in naturall dayes may by calculation be given from day to day, but because it is so intensible little in a day, hardly by an Instrument of this nature can be seene, but by a number of dayes, compared with another number of dayes it will evidently appeare.

So, if it were required how much the Month Exam.

of December is longer then the Month of March, in the first of which months the suns motion is quicker, being about the Perigeum then at other Constructimes, now both of which months have equal numbio. 28. ber of dayes, viz. 31.

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which 5.gr. being converted into time by allowing 4 minits to a degree makes about 20. m, and so much is the Month of December longer then the Month of March, notwithstanding both of these Months containing equal number of dayes.

Pro. Ninthly, to finde the degree of the Æquator in the Horizon, by Suppossing the degree of the Eclipticke in the Horizon.

Motatio. If the degree given be in the Northerne part of the Ecliptike, the oblique Ascention is leffe then the right Ascention vel contra. Get therefore first the right Ascention of the point given by the sixt Pro. and the difference of Ascention by the 2. Pro. for that

that taken from the right Ascention gives the degree of the Aquinostiall in the Horizon, but if the given degree had beene in a Southern signe, the difference of Ascention must be added to the right Ascention, so have you the degree of the Aquator in the Horizon.

Tenthly, to finde the degree of Pro.

the Eclipticke in the Horizon

by supposing the degree of

the Æquator in

the Horizon.

This is but the Converse of the former, onely confiruconsider the correspondent quarters of the Æ- flio.30. quinofical to these of the Eclipsicke.

Eleventhly, to finde the degree of Pro.
Medium (well, or the degree of the Eclipticke in the Meridian,
by supp sing any degree of
the Eclipticke in
the Horizon.

Seeke the degree of the Aquator in the Ho- Conftra rizon, 810.31.

Number be too littleadde a whole Circle to it) then the degree of the Eclipticke opposite to the remainder, is the Answer, but note that if the remainder be betweene 270 and 360. the opposite point belongs to the last Quarter of the Eclipticke, if the remainder be betweene 180 and 270 then it respects the 3 quarter of the Eclipticke, if the remainder be betweene 90 and 180 it hath reference to the second Quarter &c.

But if the degree of the Eclipticke in the Horizon were required by knowing the degree of the in Eclipticke the Meridian.

This, is onely but the converse of the former, & Construis thus performed first, seek the right Ascentio of the given degree of Medium Cali, & adde thereto 90.gr. by accounting it from the former right Ascention, & note the sims place opposit therto for the difference of Ascention of this last degree being subtracted from the former degree of the Equator in the Horizon, if it be a degree of the Southern signes (otherwise Adde) gives the degree of the Eclipticke in the Horizon demanded.

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Twelfthly, to finde the Horoscope Pro.

or the degree Ascendant, or de- 25.

scendant and the Nonagessima degree at
any houre.

First, note the right Ascention for the day gi- Construven according to the 6. Pro. which is the degree efio,33. of the Aquator in the Meridian, at 12. of the Clocke, unto which degree adde 90. fo have you the degree of the Agnator in the Horizonat 12. of the Clocke. Then consider how many koures the given koures wants of 12. or is past 12. which converted into measure and accounted Eastward, or Westward, according to the house given frem the former points of the Aguator in the Horszon at 12. will give the degree of the Aguator in the Horizon at the boure proposed, then by the 23. Pro. I feeke out the degree of the Eclipticke in the Horizo answerable to the degree of the Equatorso have you the degree Ascendant, from which account 90.gr.or 3 signes, so have you the degree of the Nonagessima point in the Horizon but if you reckon 6. fignes from the Ascendant, you have the desendant degree of the Eclipticke in the West of the Horizon.

Thirteenthly,

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Pro. Thirteenthly, to finde what 26. Angle the Eclipticke makes with the Horizon, or the Altitude of the Nonagessima degree of the Eclipticke, above the Horizon, and what Azimuthit is in at any houre.

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According to the last Pro. finde the degree Ascendant, and the Nonageffima degree, then by the 24. Pro. finde what degree of the Eclipticke is in the Meridian, Answerable to the degree of the Eclipticke in the Horizon, fo shall you know on which fide of the Meridian the Nonageffima degree is, & how far from the Meridian, then if \$ Index be layed upon the hours of 12, where the parallel of the Nonagefima degree crosseth it, that should be the height of it, if it were in the Meridian:account therfore from the Meridian or houre of 12. in the Aquator, the number of degrees betweene the Nonageffima degree, and the degree of the Ecliptiske in the Meridian,& marke where that Moridian meeteth with the parallel of the of the Nonagessima degree, lay the Index thereto,

so have you the Alistude of the Nonagessimadegree in the Index, and the Azimuth in the Horizon, or Limbe of the Instrument.

There are yet the 48. 49. 50. 9. 13. 14. and 15th. uses of the said Index or Table, which have no relation to the sans sight or observation in there operation, and resolutions, and should have followed these 26. uses that have beene delivered but I referrethem to the end of this Trastat; as for these uses of the Instrument which depend upon the Suns sight, or observation they are these 13. following viz. the 1.31.4.6. 36.7.22.3.5.34.11.43. and 8th.

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2. The houre of the day, and Azimuth of the

fun.

3. The Meridian Line upon any appearance of the Sun.

4. The fit of a building, or costing of a place.

5. The Suns Azimuth, and houre without Observation.

6.The variation of the Needle.

7. The Latitude of a place, or height of the Pole above the Horizon,

8. The Suns Azimush, and Alsitude at any

boure.

9. The uncertainetie of time, by noting the Chadow of things.

10. The Quarter of the yeare and day of the Month, with the houre, Azimuth, and the Meridian line.

11. Instantly the houre of the day, the Azimuth, and Altitude of the Sun: with the Meridionall line, without observation or sight of the Sun, by knowing the Proportion betweene the length of a shadow upon a Horizontal Plaine, and that which did cast the shadow.

12. The Deckmation of a Wall, by seeing the Sunbeginning to shine thereon or going from it.

13. The Declination of a Wall, the Sun Gining thereon.

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#### First, how to observe the Sun, or Pro. starres Altitude above the 27.

Horizon at any time.

Life up the edge of the Inftrument to the eye, conftrufo that the fight which is at the Limbe or Cir- Stion.35. cumference of the Quadrant be next the eye, and the Index to hang perpendicular and to play easily by the fide therof: then move the Quadrant up and downe untill you may through both fights fee the Center or midle of the Sun, or flarre: fo the Index in the Limbe shall fall upon the degrees of the Sun or farres Alitude above the Horizon at that time. Or without looking at the fun, the AL titude thereof may be thus found : hould the Quadrant that the Indax may hang perpedicular, or be verticall as before, then move about the Infirmment untill the edge of it be opposite to the body of the Sun. Now supposing the Instrument to hang thus upon his Center, foftly lift up the edge thereof which is towardsthe Sam, untill you fee the beames of the fun paffe through both fights, then the Index in the Limbe shall give the funs Altitude as before.

Secondly.

Pro. Secondly, how to finde the houre of the day, and Azimuth of the 281 Sun, upon any appearance of the Sunne.

Confire- By the last Pro. observe or take the funs Altitude and account it on the Index, then feeke for the parallel of the day of the Month for the day prefent, & move the Index untill that degree of Altitude in the edge of the Index meete with the parallel of the day, fo the Meridian that meeteth with that degree of Altitude in the Index , shall be the houre of the day required, & the edge of \$ Index in the Limbe of the Inftrument, Shall likewise thew the Suns Azimuth belonging to that houre. So if upon the last of August the Suns Altitude in the forenoone should be observed and found to be 30.gr.& a halfe, feeke this Altitude out upon the Index & move the Index untill the degree of Altisude meete with the parallel for the day of the Month given, viz. the fift parallel from the Equator Northward so the boureline that meeteth also with the 30.gr.& a halfe in the Index, is the boure

viz.neere 9.& that shall be the boure of the day at that infant, & the edge of the Index in the Limbe cutteth neere 35.gr. and 30.m, from the point of East, towards the South, and so much is the

Suns Azimuth at that time.

Thirdly,

Thirdly, how to finde the Meridi-Pro.
an line, and the true points of 29.
North, South, East, and West
upon any appearance
of the Sunne.

According to the 27. Pro. first observe the confirm-Suns . Altitude above the Horizon, and by the last &fio. 38. Construction finde the Suns Azimuth agreeable to that Alisande: let the Index and rest, at that degree, and erect the prependicular at the end of the Index, then houlding the plaine or face of the Quadrant parallel to the Horizon, move the Infrument Circular, untill the shadow of the said perpendicular fall by the fide of the Index, and fo the honerline of 12, or the edge of the Instrument which is parallel unto it ( which is the North and foutb edge of the Instrument ) shall represent the Meridian line, and pointeth out the North and South in the Horizon of the world by the termes thereof, and the other straight edge of the Infrument which is perpendicular unto that edge is the (East and west edge of the Instrument) and denoteth or sheweth the line of East, and West in the Horizon, of the world. But this may be more accurately done if you place the backe H 3

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of the Infrument downe upon an Horizontall plaine, and the edge of the Index being at the degree of the funs Azimuth observed, and the perpendicular erected at the end of the Index as before: then moving the Instrument as it so weth untill the shadow of the perpendicular fall be the fide of the Index, so the Meridian of the Infrument, shall be in the Meridian of the World, and every point and degree in the Limbe of the Inframene thall point out and be opposite, and represent his like degree in the Horizon of the world.

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But here note that this Confirmation ferves onction. 39. ly but for the forenoone observation; for if the practice be in the afternone, the way to finde the Meridian line may be thus. Having found the Juns Azimuth as before, lay the Index upon the houre line of 12. and erect the perpendicular at the end thereof, and move the Instrument about Circular, untill the shadow of the faid perpendicular fall by the fide of the Index: for then if the edge of the Index be moved unto the funs Azimuth before known, the edge of the Index shall represent the Meridian line, & 90:gr.farther shall be the point of East, and the Center of the Infrument the point of west, therefore if upon the plaine that the Infrument lies upon, you make a marke at the edge of the Index which is in the Meridian as before, and another marke right under the Center, and to place the North and South edge of the Instrument unto these two points: then

frament, shall point out as before his opposite or ke degree in the Horizon of the world.

Fourthly, how to finde the sit Pro. of a Building, or Costing of 30.

a place.

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By the last Pro. finde out or draw the Meridian kne, and place the North and South edge of the Inframent unto it: if the Building or Place ly in the Eafterne femicircle of the world ( but if it ly in the Wefferne fomecircle, then let the Eaft & Weft edge of the Infrument be placed upon the Meridian line) to the eye being over the Center of the Inframent and behoulding the place, let the Index be moved untill it be also with the visual line obferved by the eye, that is opposite to the place, so the edge of the Index, from the Cardinall points of the Inframent in the Limbe, viz. from the East or West North or South, shall thew the bearing of that place from you, in respect of the Cardinall points of the world in the Horizon: but if two fights be placed at the Index (which is according to the description thereof) then may you obferve the place through the fights of the Index by leting the Inframent rest, and moving the Index to and fro untill you fee the object, to the edge of the Index in the limbe, shall point out the bearing

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bearing or Possion of the place from you in der grees from the East, West, North, or South, & accounting I I.gr. and \(\frac{1}{4}\) as often as you can in those degrees, observed: you have the point of the Compasse which the place, or object beares from you.

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# Fiftly, to finde the suns Azimuth, and houre without observation.

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The Meridian line being drawne first upon a plaine according to the former directions, confider if it be in the forenoone or afternoone; if in the forenoone, then let the North, and Southedge of the Infrument be placed unto the Meridian line, but if it be in the afternoone, then fet the edge of East, & West of the Instrument, unto the Meridian line, and let the Inftrument reft there, then erect the perpendicular at the end of the Index, & move the Index about untill the fhadow of the perpendicular fall by the fide of the Index, fo the edge of the Index will amongst the degrees in the Limbe show the Sans Azimuth at that time; and where the edge of the Index meeteth with the parallel of the day of the Month, that is the bours of the day at that time. But if the Axu be rectified then there is no neede of a Meridian line to be drawne, for this Instrument will with great facilitie finde out his owne Meridian, by moving it to and fre untill the

the fladow of the perpendicular which is over the Center of the Instrument, interfect the same hours in the Parallel of the day of the Moneth, that the Axis doth amongst the Common hours: so that hours shall be the hours of the day for that instant, and the shadow of the said perpendicular, cutting the Limbs, or extended unto it, doth there shew the Sans Azimuth, and so the Meridian of the Instrument at that position, shall be in the Meridian of the world required.

## Sixtly, to finde the variation of the needle.

By the twentie nineth Pro. vpon an even Plaine parallel to the Horizon draw the Meridian line, & place the North & South line of the Card directly over the said Meridian line, so the Number of degrees that the Needle cutteth in the Card from the North and South line of the Card, that shall be the variation of the Needle required; otherwise it may be found thus: Neere unto the Center of the Index, upon the Index may a small Brase pinne be so placed that it may be erected perpendicular to. the Center of the Infrument and halfe en inch above it. Let a Needle by placed upon this pinne, then lay the East, and West edge of the Instrument to the Meridian line, & when the Needle resteth. move the Index, untill the edge of it be directly under the Needle so the edge of the Index; in the Limbe of the Instrument, shall point

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Construs Stro.42. point out or fhew the Needles variation required.

Pro. Seventhly, to finde the Latitude 33. of a place, or the Poles hight above the Horizon.

Confirm First, draw the Meridian line upon some plaine Mis. 43. by helpe of the 38. Construction, then erect the prependicular at the end of the Index, and place the Northand South edge of the Infrument, to the Meridian line to drawne upon the plaine, and move also the Index untill the edge thereof touch the houre of 13. let the luftrument reft at this polition, then marke diligently about moone or 12. of the Clocke when the shadow of the perpendicular doth fall by the edge of the Index, for then the fun is in the Meridian, at which time according to the 27. Pro. observe or take the funs height (which is his Meridian Altitude, for that day ) and by the 3. Pro. finde the Suns declination agreeable to that day, and adde it to the Suns Meridionall Aliende observe (if it be South declination, otherwise subtract it from the former Meridionall Altitude,) so have you the height of the Aguinolisal above the Horizon, that taken from 90. gives the depression of the South Pole under the Horizon, which is alwayes equal to the elevation of the North Pole above the Horizon.

So if upon the tenth of April, the Meridian Exam. Attitude should be found to be 50. gr. the Deelimation belonging to that day by the 3. Pro. is 1 1. gr.and a halfe North, which being fubtracted (according to the former directions) leaves 38.gr. 30. m, the height of the Equinottiall above the Horizon: &that taken from 90.leaves 51.gr.30.m the depression of the South Pole under the Horizon: or the elevation of the 2 orth Bole above the Horizon, for the height of the Aquinofiall knowne, the Complement thereof is alwayes the Latitude of the place, or height of the Pole: and here note generally that the height of the Pole and Equinottial together, doe alwayes make a Quadrant or 90.gr. therefore the height of one of them being knowne, the height of the other is alfo knowne, and further here note that if the face have North Declination, the fun is fo much higher then the Aguinolliallat none that day. by fo much as his Declination cometh to, but if the Sun have South Declination, then the Sun is lower then the Equinottiall that day at moone, by fo much as his Declination cometh to, by which you may eafily gether when to adde, or Subtract the Juns Declination to, or from the Suns Meridianal Altitude to get the height of Equator, which knowne the Poles height cannot be unknowne.

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# Pro. Eightly, to finde the suns Azimuth and Altitude for any houre.

ConstruMarke where the parallel for the day of the citio.44. Month meeteth with the given bours, and bring the edge of the Index thereto, so the degree that the edge of the Index cutteth in the Limbe of the Instrument, that shall be the Suns Azimuth, and the degree that the bours cutteth in the Index, that shall be the Suns Altitude required.

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So, if upon the tenth of December at nine of the Clocke in the Morning, the Suns Azimuth and Altitude were required, marke first where the Tropick of Capricorne ( which is the parallel, for that day given ) meeteth with the given houre of nine, and bring the Index thereto, fo the edge of it in the Limbe pointeth out neere 40. gr. and a halfe, & fo much is the Suns Azimuth, from the South. at nine of the Clocke in the forenoone, the faid tenth of December, and the boure line meeting with the Index, sheweth neere 5.gr.25.m. fo much is the funs Altitude at that time; now if you move the Index foftly along, as the edge of it paffeth by any bours for any day of the yeare, fo the edge of the Index in the Limbe of the Inftrument sheweth the funs Azimuth, and the interfection of the parallel with the Index shall show the Sans Altitude belonging to that houre.

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### Ninthly, to shew the uncertain- Pro. tie of time, by noting the shadow 35. of things.

Is is usually noted by some, that when the shadow of the edge of a Window, Dore, Wall, or fuch like, shall touch such or such markes, that it shall be then such, or such an houre of the day, and so constantly to bould for all the yeare, this observation is farre from truth, and the principalls of Astronomie (and may be easily contradicted by fuch which have but indifferent judgement in the Nature of shadowes, and the Suns paffages by the Meridians and verticall Circles of the Heavens, for by how much greater the propinquitie of the Suns approchment is unto the Zenith, or verticall point, by so much the more shall the houre or time be various in one and the fame Azimuth.

So in the last Prothe Azimuth of the Sun the tenth of December, at nine of the Clocke in the forenoone, was found to be 40.gr. and a halfe, and Exam the Suns distance from the Zenith, at that time wasneere 84.gr.35.m, Now admitte the Suns distance from the Zenith the tenth of Inno were but 32.gr.35.m, the Sunne being in the fame Azimuth, the houre would be halfe an houre past 10. For the Index being layed to the houre of 9. in the Tropicke of vp. (which is the Suns parallel, for the faid tenth of December, ) and it cutteth the parallel

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parallels of the Saus Motion in the inequalitie of time, and fo the complement of the former 3 2.gr 35.m, in the Index, meeteth with the Tropicke of 5, ( which is the Sans parallel for the tenth of Imas) in halfe an houre past 10. fo that it evidently appeares, that the fliadow of a perpendicular thing on the tenth of December, denoting the hours of the day to be 9. of the Clocke, the fame fhadow the tenth of lim, shall represent halfe an houre paft to, fo the error fhall be an houre and a halfer but if you move the Index unto the houre of g. belonging to the tenth of Inne, the Index fhall point you out in the Limbe neere 68.gr.of Azimuth for that hours, which at o of the Clocke the tenth of December, was but 40.gr. & an haife, fo the difference of Azimuth in one and the fame bours, shall be 27.gr.and a halfe, & the time as before, an houre and a halfe: which differences are fufficient to confirme the point.

Tenthly, to finde the Quarter of the yeare, and day of the month, if it were forgotten.

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As any appearance of the Sun by the 27. Protake the Suns Altitude, then place the North and South edge of the Inframent unto the Meridian line formerly, drawne (if in the foremoone) otherwise place the East, and West, edge of Instrument to the Meridianline

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the and erect the prependicular at the end of the Index, then moove the Index to and fro untill the hadow of the prependicular fall by the fide of the Index, so the parallel that meeteth with the degree of the Suns observed Altitude, in the edge of the Index, parallel in the Kalender that shall shew

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Soif, upon a certaine day in the yeare the funs Exam. Alliende were observed and found to be 36.gr. having placed the edge of the Instrument to the Meridian line, and rectified the Index, then move the Index, untill the shadow of the prependicular fall by the edge of the Instrument, let the Instrument rest at this position, and account the former 36.gr. upon the Index, which degree meeteth with the houre in the Agustor, and also that interfecteth the Kalender, in the tenth of March & the thirteenth of September, but which of these dayes is the day of the Month, the next dayes observation of the Sun upon the same house will helpe you, for if the funs Altitude befound to be greater then the day of the month inquired after it was the tenth of (March, because the sun from the tenth of December unto the eleventh of lune, doth every day at one & the fame houre, afcend,) but if the Suns Alistude be found to be leffe then the former dayes observation specified was, then the day required, was the thirteenth of September, because that from the eleventh of June, unto the tenth of December, the funs Altitude every day doth fenfibly diminish at one and the same houre.

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But here is to be noted that if there be no Meridionall line, then the prependicular over the Center and the Axis of the Index being erected, place downe the backe of the Instrument upon an Horizontall plaine, and move the Instrument to and fro, untill the shadow of the Axis meete with the fame houre below the Tropicke, amongst the common houres, that the shadow of the prependicular over the Center of the Instrument meeteth with on the face of the Instrument, for then the parallel that croffeth or meeteth with the shadow of the prependicular, and the houre, will in the Kalender thew the day of the Month required, and so then the Meridian of the Instrument shall be in the Meridian of the world, and every point or degree in the Horizon of the Inframent, it shall point out his like, or opposite degree in the Horizon of the world.

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Or otherwise it may be done thus, take the Suns Alistude, then immediatly by some Watch, clock, or Sun-dyall, learne the houre of the day, and move the Index to and fro, untill the Suns Alistude in the Index, meete with the former houre, so the parallel that meeteth therewith, shall shew the day of the Month in the Kalender required, then having the day of the Month, you have the Quarter of the years, for from the tenth of March unto the eleventh of Inne, is the Spring quarter, from the eleventh of Inne, to the thirteenth of September, is the Summer quarter, from the thirteenth of September, to the tenth of December is the Autum-

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unto the tenth of March, is the Winter Quater.

Eleventhly, to finde the houre of Pro.
the day, the Azimuth and Alti-37.
tude of the Sun, with the Meridionall line without observation, or
sight of the sun, by knowing the
proportion betweene the
length of a shadow upon
a Horizontal Plaine,
and that which cast
the shadow.

First, let the thing that casteth the shadow, or Construction formething equal in length unto it, be divided Esso. 59. into ten equal parts, and each of those parts subdived into ten other equal parts, (which thing so divided shall represent a common scale,) then measure the shadow with the scale, and marke how eften the shadow is longer then the scale, and the Decimal part if there be any, so have you the proportion betweene the shadow, and that which k 2

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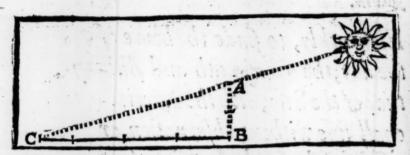
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Admit some one upon the 12. of February, or on the ninth of October, houlding a staffe prependicular as AB, or supposing it to be part of the Coyne of a Honse, or edge of a Window or such like should cast a shadow, as B,C, which being noted, or drawne and having divided the staffe, or thing as before, and should then measure the shadow, as B,C, by the said staffe or scale, and finde it to be contained therein three times, and 6, parts or 6, decimals, the porportion of the Gnomon, or scale, AB, to the shadow BC, would be as I to 3. and 5.

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Move therefore the Index to and fre, untill the edge of it meete with 3 and 6, in the line of Ibadones; so have you the degree of the Suns Altitude arthat instant in the Index, viz. 15. gr. and then feeke out the parallel for the 12. of February, or the ninth of Ollober (the day given) which is neere the teath degree from the Equator South, move the Index, until the former 15. gr.

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for the day, so have you the boure belonging to that time, which will be neere 42 m, past 8 in the Morning, or 18 m, past 3 in the after noone, and the edge of the Index in the Limbe of the Instrument sheweth the suns Azimuth also at that instant, viz, neere 39.gr. 12.m, from the East toward the South.

Now for the Meridional line, this may be done Confruat any time after, if the Azimuth be not forgotten: \$10.51. for if the Center of the Instrument be layed downe upon any part of the shadow BC, and so the Instrument to be mooved upon his Center untill the said shadow BC, formerly drawne, cut the edge of the Limbe, in the aforesaid Azimuth of 39.gr.30.m, then the Meridian of the Instrument shall be in the Meridian of the world, and if that shadow were from a Window, or Building, the position of the Instrument, shall denote the position of the Window or Building.

Twelfthly, to finde the Declinati-Pro.
on of a Wall; by seeing the sun
beginning to shine thereon,
or going from it.

By the 27. Pro. take the height of the Sun, and Confirmby the 28. Pro, finde the Suns Azimush for the stion. 52. K 3 Aliunde,

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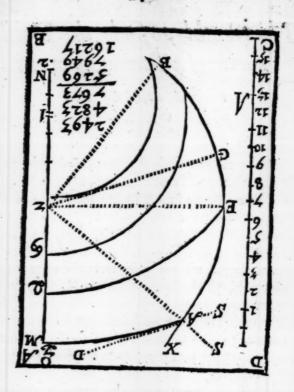
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Altitude, so the Azimuth thus found shall be the declination of the Plaine required: for the declination of any perpendicular Plaine, is accounted from the points of East, West, North or South, in the Horizon, as the Suns Azimuth is: therefore whatsoever Plaine is in the plaine of any virticall Circle, that Plaine is as far from any of the Cardinal points of the Horizon, as the sun is at that time, & so the Sun, being in that virticall Circle, shall necessarily glance upon the Plaine: and therefore looke what the Suns Azimuth is at that instant, such shall be the Declination of the Plaine required.

#### Thirteenthly, to finde the Decli- Pro. nation of a Plaine, upon any appearance of the Sunne.

By the 28. Pro. finde the Suns Azimuth, and Confirmfet the North and Southedge of the Instrument to Elion. 53 the Plaine, which admit Z W, but the Plaine to be represented by the line, MN, then let the Azimuth of the Sun be accounted from the point of East, in the Limbe of the Instrument, viz accor. ding to the Arke E A, and moove the edge of the Index to it, which admit to be AZ, then erect the perpendicular plate which is at the end of the Index, which suppose AX, now houlding the Infrument, parallel, to the Horizon, let S, reprefent the fun, which if at that instant the shadow of the perpendicular, or beame of the fun shall passe by the fide of the Index A Z, then the plaine MN, isfull South, and ha h no declination, but it the beame of the fun, or hadow of the prependicular, fall, from the fide of the Index the Plaine MN. doth decline, and is equall to the Angle made with the faid feadow, and the Index AZ, which suppose to be ID, so the Declination of the Plaine MN, is equall to the Angle DAZ, therefore moove the Index untill the shadow of the perpendicular of the Index, A X, fall by the fide of the



the Index which will be at G, so the number of degrees contained betweene A, and G, in the Limbe of the Quadrant, is the declination of the E laine or Wall, M N, required.

Thus for the Construction of the aforesaid 13.

uses which did depend upon the suns observation,
the 48.49.50.9.13.14.and 15th.uses of the Index
or Table against Page the first, should have followed; but before I speake of them it will not be inconvenient

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convenient that I apply the Instrument unto the refolution of the 44-45.46. & 47. uses of the aforefaid Index or Table, which have reference to night
observation, upon such Starres which are, or may
be placed on the face of the Instrument, betweene
the two Tropickes, or under the Tropicke of Cancer,
according to there Declinations, and right Ascentions: which are these following.

The names	G. M.			The name: of the flars.	Decls.	Rer.	
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Ex. Ala Pegas	13.9. N.	23.54	1.30.	Cor Hydra.	7.5. A.	9.10.	42.45
Oculus. &.	15.42. N	4.15.	63.45	Cor Leonis. Gauda St.	16.38.2	11.30	7.26
pri finguls.Ors.	0. 17.5.	5.13.	78.15	Spica. m.	9. 10.M	12.6	16.10
Canis minor.	16.17.S.	6.30.	182.15	Ard Brus,	21.10.B 8.00. S	14.0.	29.20

Much may be faid upon the uses of these starres, but for brevitie I onely delivere these sources, amples following.

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3. Thirdly, to finde in any night at what part of the Horizon, any of the aforesaid starres riseth, or setteth, and at what hours, and Alistude they will be due East, or West.

4. Fourthly, upon the fight or apparance of any of the faid Starres, to finde the Azimuth

thereof : and the boure of the night.

Pro. First in any night, to finde at what 40. houre and Altitude, any of the aforesaid starres will be in the Meridian.

By the fixth Pro: finde the Sans rigth Afcention Construfor the day given, which connerted into time by Etio.54. allowing for every 15. degrees an houre, and for every degree 4.m, then fubftract this right Afcention of the Sun, from the Starres right Ascention, to the remainder or difference of time, shall shew how many boures the farres shall come later to the Meridian then the Sun : but if the fubtraction eannot be made, then adde 24 houres to it & you have the Ausmere, so, if upon the fixth of Februsy, it were required to find at what houre any of the aforefaid starres will be in the Meridian, or due Somb, first therefore by the faid fixth Pro. I find the funs right Afcention for the day given viz,330.gr. which containes three nineties or

whole 270.gr.makes 18. houres, and fo the whole 270.gr.makes 18. houres, and the other 60. gr.at 15.gr. to an houre makes 4. houres more all which put together makes 22. houres: so the right Ajcention of the Sun the fixth of February, is neces 330.gr. as before, or 22. houres

	Ex. Ala Pegasi. Pri. V. Oculus. V. Orion sugu. I. Canin Major. Canin Minor. Cor Hidra. Cor Leonin. Cauda. S. Spica verginis. Ardurus Aquila.	7. 20. 9. 10. 9. 48. 11.40,	there re-	H.M. 1.54.P. 3.46.P. 6.15.P. 7.13.P. 8.30.P. 9.20.P. 11.10.P. 11.48.P. 1.40.A. 2.06. A. 4.00.A. 9.31. A.	the states being in the Meridian.
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Ascention, is greater then the right Ascention of any of the starres afore specified, substract this 22, houres from 24. houres, rest 2. houres, which added to the right Ascention of each Starre before delivered, you have the houre of the Stars coming to the Meridian: hence you may gather which of those starres, are out of observation for that time, viz. Ale Pogasi, Pri. V, and Aquila, which come to the Meridian in the day time: but if the day given had been the 26th of Inly, the right Ascention of the Sunne, that day is necre 135. gr. or g. houres.

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	Adurus. 1400.	95.00 P.	14. 7
	Aquila. 19.32.1	L10:32.P)	

For the right Ascention of the Sun being but a. boures take it from the right afcention of Cor. bidra which is 9. houres 10.m, reft 10.m, which fleweth that Cor. Hydra comes to the Meridian 10.m. later then the San that day, that is, Io.m, after 12 and fo the rest, whose rightascention is greater then the Suns. But for thefe farres, whose right Afcention is leffe then the faid 9. houres, fubtract this o boure from 24. boures, reft 15. bourefor rather fubtract it from 12.reft 3. houres) this adde unto the right ascention of any of the aforesaid Starres, as Suppose Canin Miner makes 22. boures 20.m, which sheweth that Canin miner, wil come to the Meridian. 22. boures 20,m, later that day then the fun : therefore this, 22. boures and 20. m, being confidered according to an hourly account sheweth that Can't Minor will come tothe Meridian at 10. of the clocke and 20.m: of the next day (the right afcention of the Internall of time

time being neglected) or for brevitle adde the aforesaid 3. houres unto the right ascention of these Starres, whose right ascentions are lesser then the Suns, so have you the Meridionali houre required.

Hence may be gathered that AlaPegasi, Pri. V and Aquila, are onely for observation that night, the other starres are out of observation, and will

come to the Meridian, in the day time.

Instity, to sinde the Meridionall Alsiende of any of these starres, lay the edge of the Index unto the hours line, of 12, so the parallel of the starres declination that crosseth the edge of the Index, shall there shew you in the Index, the Meridionall Altitude of the starre required.

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Pro. Secondly, to know at any day, at what houre any of the starres (inferibed on the Instrument) rifeth or setteth, with their time of continuance above the Horizon, win what part of the bemispheare, they may be seene, with their easimuth, and Altitude at any houre.

By the last direction finde the bours of the stars being in the Meridian, then marke what houre the parallel of the declination of any starre interfecteth the Herizon or Kalender, so have you the hours or time of the starres rising or setting, and the number of hours, from that point of the stars rising in the Herizon, unto the Meridian being doubled, gives the countinuance of the starres above the Herizon, required.

So if upon the 6th. of February, it were demanded at what bours Oculus & would ascend, & how long it would continue above the Marizon.

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By the last proposition, get the hours of the Starres being in the Meridian, which is at 6, of the Clocke and 15. minuts at night, and marke the Number of houres betweene the Meridians and that point where the parallel of Oculus &, meeteth with the Kalender, which is 7. houres 24; minuts, this doubled makes 14. houres 48.m. and fo long will Oculus &, be above the Horizon.

But if from the faid 7, houres and 24. m, the faid 6, houres 15.m, be taken, there will reft I. houre 9.m, and fo much before 12. of the clocke at noone, deth Oenlas & rife, that is 51.m, after to, of the Clocke, and fo confequently if the faid 7. houres and 24.m, be added unto the houre of the Starres being in the Meridian, viz. 6. of the Clocke and 15. m, as before, the faid Starre will fet at 39.m, paft 1, in the Morning.

Laftly, if at any hours bet weenethe rifing of the Herre, and the ferting thereof, it be required at what Position and Altitude the starre is in. It is

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Account to the given hours, from the bours of the farre rifing fetting, or being in the Meridian, 810.56. (in the parallel of the starres declination) and lay the Index thereto, fo the edge of it in the Limbe of the Inframent, shall shew the starres Azimuth or Postson, and where the parallel of the starres Declination croffeth the edge of the Index, that shall be the starres Alistude, at that hours.

So if on the faid 6th. of February, at 11. of the Exam. Clocke at night, it were required in what Positi-

high above the Horizon: I make, or suppose the bours of 12. to be the aforesaid 6. of the Clocke and 15.m, (for at that bours as before Oculus & was in the Midian) and from thence in the stars parallel of Declination, I account untill I come unto 11. of the Clocke, viz. that is 4. bours, and 45.m, from 12. and lay the Index thereto, so the edge of the Index in the Limbs, pointeth out 4.gr: 24.m, and so farre Oculus &, is distant from the west at 11. of the Clocke at night, and the parallel of the Starres Declination meeteth with the Index in 24. gr, neere, which is the starres Altitude, at that bours required.

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any of the starres on the instrument riseth or setteth, and
at what houre, and Aliitude a starrewill be
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number of degrees betweene the edge of the Index, and the point of East or West, upon the limbe of the Infrument, sheweth the distance of the

flarres rising from the East or West.

So if it were required in what part of the Ho. Exam, vicen Oculus & rifeth, marke where the parallel of the fars Declination croffeth the Horizon, and lay the edge of the Index thereto, fo it cutteth the Limbe of the Instrument from the East neere 26. gr. and so farre Oculus & rifeth from the East towards the 2V orth.

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By the 40th. Pro. confider at what houre the star Conftrui is in the Meridian, then lay the edge of the Index Gio. 58. to the point of East and West, and account in the parallel of the stars Declination the number of houres betweene the edge of the Index, and the houre of 12. which being taken from the houre of the Stars being in the Meridian, gives the boure of the flars coming East, but added unto the boure of the fars being in the Meridian, shewes the boure of the stars being West.

So if it were demaunded at what boure, upon Exam. the 6th of February, Cor A, would be due East or West, and what Alitude the starre should then have. First, lay the edge of the Index, to the point of East and West & wherefoever the parallel of the starres declination croffeth the edge of the Index that shall be the starres Alistude, viz.neere 19.gr 45.m, then account the number of beares

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in the parallel of the starres Declina tion betweene the edge of the Index, and the houre of 12. Which is necre 5. houres and 12. m, which taken from the houre of the starres being in the Meridian,) which by the 40th. Pro. was at 11. of the clocke & 48. m, at night) rests 6. houres, and 36. m: but if the said 5. houres and 12. m, be added unto the said 11. houres and 48. m, it makes 17. houres, from which 12. being taken leaves 5, houres. So upon the 6th. of February, Cor & shall be due East, at 36. m, past 6, at night, and due West, at 5, of the Clocke in the Morning, and the Stars Alvitude, being either East or West, is necre 17. gr. 45. m, as was required.

Pro. Fourthly, upon the fight or appea-43. rance of any of the aforesaid stars, to finde the Azimuth thereof, and the houre of the night.

By the 40th. Fro. for the day given finde the Construction hourse of the Starres coming to the Meridian. 810.59. then by the 27. Fro. take the Starres height account that height in the Index, then a construction that height in the Index, then a construction that height in the Index, then a construction that Index, meete with the parallel of the Index. Declination, so the edge of the Index.

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sheweth the starres Azimuth, and the Meridian that meeteth with the degree of the Altitude, in the Index shall shew you the houre that the starre wants to be in the Meridian, or is pass the Meridian, which added, or subtracted from the houre of the starres being in the Meridian, gives the houre of the night required.

So if the day were the 26th. of Inly, and if Exam. Aguila, should be observed to be on the West of the Meridian, 29.gr.20.m, high above the Horizon, this I feeke out upon the Index, and move the Index to and frountill the faid, 29.gr.20.m, meete with the parallel of Declination, of Aquila, fo the edge of the Index, in the Limbe doth point out the farres Azimuth from the South, viz. 63. gr. 12.m, and the Meridianthat meeteth with the aforesaid degree of Altitude, is the time of the farres diftance from the Meridian, viz. neere 2. boures and 28.m, this added unto the houre of Aquilas being in the Meridian, which by the 40th. Pro. was at 10. of the Clocke & 32. m, at night, makes 14. hours, or 2 of the Clocke, in the Morning, so if Aquila were observed the 26th. of Inly, to be 29.gr.20.m, high to the West of the Meridian, then the Position or Azimuth of that starre from the Meridian, was 63.gr.12.m, and the boure at that infant, was at 2. of the Clocke in the Morning.

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Thus touching the resolution of the aforesaid 44.45.46.and 47th. Pro. of the aforesaid Index or Table, which did belong to Astronomical observations, the last uses now follow, viz.48.49. 50.9.13.14.and 15th. uses of the Index or Table, which are onely proper to Geometrical Practices, viz.

- 1. How to measure the Quantitie of an Angle, or to take the distance of two Starres,
- 2. How to measure distances and bredthes.
- 3. How to take the Circuit of a figure, or the surneigh of a Place.
- 4. The inclination of a Plaine, or to Place a Plaine Horizontall.
- 5. Whether an Altitude be in the Point of libration, or above, or below the levell of the eye, and how much.
- 6. How much the hight of an Altitude is above the eye, which is accessable, or in accessable.
- 7. How to measure any Part of an Altitude, which is not approachable.

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which may be so accommodated that the Infirm-thion of the may be elevated, depressed, or be placed Horizontall; as occasion requires, then erect the sights of the Index, & place the edge of the Index upon the houre line of 12. the Index so placed looke through the fights thereof and moving the Instrument upon his Rest to and fro, untill you see the marke or Starre, that makes the Angle or distance required. Then screw fast the Instrument to the socket, and move about the Index, untill through the fights thereof you see the other marke or star, so the number of degrees betweene the edge of the Instrument shall be the measure of Angle, or distance of the two Stars sought for.

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Let E and D be two markes or Starres, and let Exam: the Angle E A D, or distance E D, be required. The Instrument, A B M, being placed upon his Rest G H I K, observe one of the markes or starres as D, through the sights (admit AB,) so the visuall line shall be A B D, then having made fast the

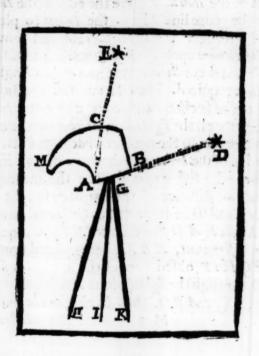
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Instrument, move the Index A B, untill through the fights of it you fee the other marke or flare, E, which suppose to be in the visual line, A C E, fo the Arke of the Limbe of the Infrument BC, Shall be the distance betweene the two Stars, ED; Corolla or the measure of the Angle & AD, required. Now Infinit are the uses of knowing the Quantitie of Angles, in the Copious and vaft Body of Mathematicall Practices, therefore from the multitude of Examples that might be raifed upon them, or extracted from them, I will onely

instance for brevitie, upon these two plaine, and ordinary ones following.

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#### Secondly, bow to measure distan- Pro. ces, and Breadths.

Let OF LH, represent part of the Perimeter of a Fort, and let it be required, that standing at some convenient place without Musket thot, as admit at T, the distance betweene the points of the Bulwarke viz. F& L, as also the measure of the face of either of the Bulmarks viz. F.E., or M.L., with the length of the Cortaine D N, and all the distances from T, viz. TF, TE, TM, and TL, were required.

Or suppose OP 2 R, were 4 places, whose severall diftances the one from the other as from O to P, then from P to Q, and from Q to R, &a'. fo the feveral distances from Tviz. TO, TP, T2 and YR, were demanded. The Confirmation and resolution upon either of these is alike, therefore Constru-

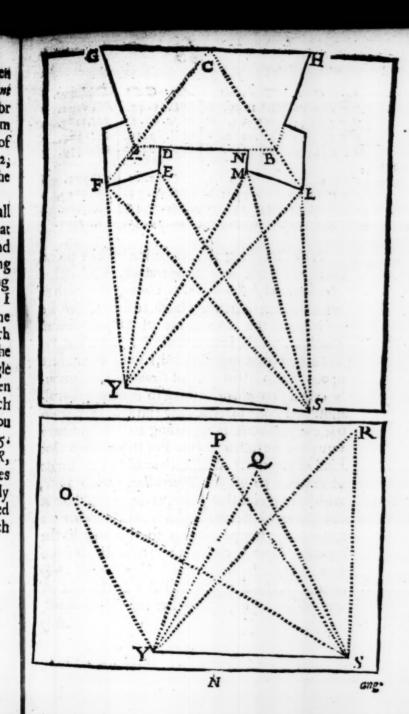
we will instance upon the latter.

Place the Instrument upon his Rest, at Y, and the edge of the Index, upon the hours of 12.then looking through the fights of the Index, upon some marke taken at pleasure in the field, which, admit to be S, then observe the first marke R, so have you the Angle S TR, which suppose 52.gr.30.m, then looke to 2, fo have you the Angle ST2, which let be 63 gr. 15.m, then looke to P, fo ha e son the Angle SYP, admit to be 74.gr.15.m, and lastly looke to O, so have you the Angle STO.

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With great facilitie, when once the Instrument is rectified as in the first direction is specified, for you neede not but move the Index, Circular from object to object, so the Arkes of the Limbe of the Instrument as before, from the houre of 12, tinto the edge of the Index, shall shew the measure of the several Angles observed.

Thus at T, place up a Marke, and in the vifuall line, TS, and measure a certaine distance at pleasure, as admit to S, and suppose it were found te be 900. foote (or 300. yardes) then placing the Instrument at S, upon his Rest, and laying the edge of the Index to the hours of 12. I move the Instrument about, untill through the fights of the Index I may fee the marke which was fet up at my last Station, then make fast the Instrument, and observe O, so have you the Angle TSO, which suppose to be 26.gr.50.m, then looke to P, fo have you the Angle TSP, which let be 55.gr.50.m, then looke to 2, fo have you the Angle YS 2, which admit to be 60.gr. 15. m, lastly observe R, so have you the Angle YSR, 87.gr. In like maner may you observe the Angles at the Fort from the flations T, and S, formerly specified all which observations may be placed downe in Tables, as here und er appeares, which may be called the Tables of observed Angles.



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Now touching the resolution of the point, there is a triple way of operation, viz. either Arithmeticall, Instrumentall or Geometricall, cach of which being sufficiently facill, to such which are verfed in the documents of Mathematicall Practices, but the later because it is more vulgar. and easiest to be apprehended, I will inflance here upon : which is that part of Geometrie, commonly called Protraction, athing to common that almost every one that hath any entrance in Geometrie, can performe it according to the ordinary way they are instructed in. But to facilitate that kind of practice, I aduise such as affect this kinde of Practice to use the Protratter, which I use, which is a plaine then felter, having a smal hole at the Center, whose two legges from the Center are made with a sharpe edge, but so that they lie flat upon the Paper, & each of them to be dividedinto 100 or 1000 divisions with a Quadrantall Arke or more divided and fastned also at the end of one of the leggs, but fo that the Quadrantall. Ark:

and to flid e in at the other leg, so shall it be accommodated and made a fit, & apt Instrument to finde the Quantities of Angles, in a Plot, or to protract Angles, for service, as followeth.

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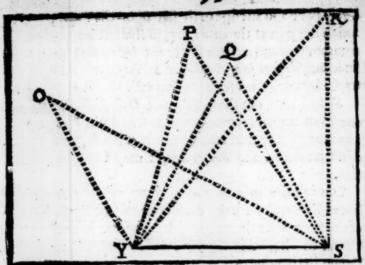
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Upon a faire leafe of Paper, draw an obscure Constin line as YS, and place the edge of one of the leggs &10.62. of the Protracter thereto, and fet a pinne in the Center to hold that leg faft, which fuppofe at T, then in the edge of, Protracter from the Center the account, 900. & make a point upon the Paper. unto which write S, then account. 52.gr. 30.m.in the Quadrantal Arke (which is the Angle RTS. specified in the aforesaid Table of Angles) and move the edge of the other leg of the Progratter unto it, and by that edge draw the line TR, then account 63.gr. 15.m, in the faid Quadrantall Arke, and move the former legge, unto it, and draw the line Y 2, In like manner may you account the rest of the Angles out of the sforefaid Table of Angles in the former Quadrantall Arke, and fo draw the other lines TP, and TO. Lastly, lay the Center of the Protracter upon S, and the edge of one of the leggs thereof upon the line ST, then in the Quadrantall Arke account 26.gr. 50.m, which is the Angle TS O, as is before foecified



cified in the Table of Angles, and lay the edge of the other legge of the Protrattor unto it, and draw the line SO. Now marke whether the line SO, meets with the line TO, which will be at O, fo SO, shall be one of the distances required, and shall be measured or given in the edge of the Protrattor, to be 1526, I foot. In like manner account 55. gr. 50. m, in the Quadrantall Arks, which is the Angle TSP, and move the edge of the Protrattor to it, and draw the line SP, and also marke where the edge of the Protrattor meets with the line TP, which will be at P, so PS, shall be another distance, and also measured in the edge of the Protrattor as before, viz. 1132. soote. In like maner may you Protratt the other Angles,

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and SR, then laying the Center of the Progratter upon T, and one of the edges being moved to any line, would instantly shew you the measure of that line which is the distance required viz. TO, 82 92. TP, 9732. T2. 937.0, and TR, 1384 soote and these measures with the rest are placed opposite to each Angle, in the aforesaid specified Table of Angles: now if you place the Center of the Prostation upon O, and move one of the leggs to P, so have you the bredth OP, in the edge of the Prostation, and so of others: Thus for the first example upon the use of Angles in Bredth and Distances, the second followeth:

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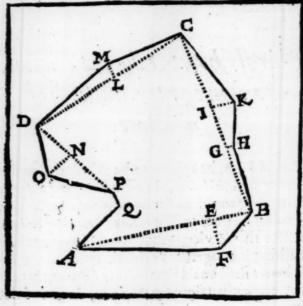
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that we reject that, but make use of this for the present) and therefore in this action, it were no losse of time to make a preambulation about the field, to view the severall windings and turnings thereof, and what Angles with greatest Conveniency, and expedition are to be observed, and what might be omitted, and at the Angles of consequence there to set up some marke, and upon those Angles to fabricate the whole worke: for here especially is to be noted, that the more Angles that are observed in any practise, by way of Circumscribing a Field, or Campaigne, the greater, and more evident shall the error be in the Conclusion.



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So in the Figure ABCD, there is eleven Examinables and as many sides, now if at every Angle, an observation should be made, it would be more subject to error (as before) then if lesse Angles were observed, therefore in this Diagramme sewer Angles of observation may be fully sufficient to raise that Plaine, Take the Plot of the Field, or give the Perimeter of that Figure, Therefore suppose the noted Angles of Consequence to be, A, B, C, D, 2, the worke may be then thus.

Place the Infrument, upon his reft at A, and observe the Angle 2 AB, which suppose 3 2.gr.10 m, then measure Q A, with a Decimal Chaine (or fuch like, ) which suppose to bes, Chaines, note this in a peece of paper, then take the Inftrument up, and measure the line, AB, but first onely AE, which suppose to be 11. Chaines and 60 Linkes, which is written down thus. I I. 60. Then measure the distance from E to the Angle F, which admit to be 2. 20, Lastly, go one with the measure A B, which suppose to be 15. 00, the Angle of observation, and measures thus taken may be noted downe one against another, as in the Table following, then place the Instrument Confirms mpon his rest at B, and observe the Angle: ABC, Wien63. w hich note downealfo and measure the distance, B G, and G H, and then going on with G B, to G I, and marke and measure B I, and then measure also IK, and fo goe on with BC, which measures are all placed down as appeares in the Table of Angles and

and measures following: In like maner personne the rest of the worke untill you come to 2, and so all the Angles and measures will be according to the Table here under specified.

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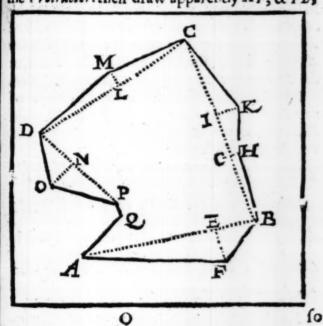
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Having these observations and measures, they may be Protrated thus : upon a faire sheete or lafe of Paper, draw an obscure line as AB, and 810.64. place the edge of the Protratter thereto, then keeping the edge of the Protratter fast upon the line AB, open the other edge to an Angle equall to B A 2, viz. 3 2.gr. 10. m, then place the pine in the Conter, & make a marke at A, and account in theedge of the Protracter the measures of thelines 12, AE, AB, out of the Table of measures, and make markes with a pin, or fuch like at the terms therof. viz, at QF, & B, then open the Protracter, at a right Angle, & place the Center upon & & one the edges of it upon the line AE, so the measure of of the line, & F, may be accounted in the edge of the Protracter: then draw apparently AF, & FB;



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fo have you Protratteda part of the figure, then lay the Center of the Protracter upon B, and one of the edges upon the line B A, and open the other edge unto 80.gr. Io.m, according to the Angle ABC, then in that edge out of the former Table account from the Center B, 6.00 and make a point at the terme therof, which admit at 9, then account 9.20. and at the end of it make another point, which admit I, lastly, in the edge of the Protracter account 16.40. and at the end of it. make a point, which suppose C, and according to the former directions Protract also out of the Table of measures, the measure for G H, and I K, then lastly draw apparntly, BH, HK, and KC: In like maner may you Frotract the rest of the Angles, and measures out of the aforesaid Table of Measures and Angles, and so the whole Plaine ABC Dishal be raised, or the said field Plotted, or the Perimeter of the figure given, as was required.

But it had beene fully sufficient (by helpe of this Protractor) to have plotted the aforesaid Plaine, by knowing the former Messures, and

two Angles of observation only.

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His.65. For the first, Setthe East and West, edge of the

Instrument unto the Plaine, then if the edge of the Index in the Limbe of the Instrument, cut the point of East or West, the Plaine is verticall, and doth not Incisne, but if the Index fall from the points, looke how many degrees it is from the points of East or West in the Limbe of the Infirument fo much is that Inclination of the Plaine.

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This is onely the same with the former, but may be applied to severall uses, as to trie the mount, or to mount a Perce of Ordinance at any Randon: or to place Burning glasses ( or others ) at severall Angles, to receive each others Reflexon, and that the point of concurfe, or inflammation in such Glasses may be in the Radius or beame of the Sunne, or that the point of inflamation, the representative Image, or the extensive Elumination may be projected to a point assigned.

Confirm-For the Third, to restifie a Plaine Horizontall. Place the North and South edge of the Instru. Etio. 66.

ment, unto the under face of the Plaine, and then marke if the edge of the Index, cut the points of East or West in the Limbe of the Instrument, for then the Plaine is Horizontall, but if it swarue from that point, then it is not Horizontal, but the Plaine is to be raised, or depressed, untill by severall tryalls in fundry parts of the Plaine, you fee the edge of the Index fall upon the points of East or West, for then shall it be truly Horizontall: Otherwife you may rectifie the Plaine Horizontall, by operating upon the upper face of it, if you fet a Cube upon the plaine, and then placing the East and west edge of the Instrument unto the side of the Cube, for then the observation will be as the former, and therefore, accommodated & concluded accordingly.

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the eye, and how much.

Declaras Let C B and X, be three feverall obiects, and

let their severall situations be required.

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pendicular, and let it be held stedfast that the Index may be verticall, and play easily by the side of the Instrument, then looking through the sights of it, list the Instrument up and downe, untill you see your marke, which suppose first C, and admit the Index should cut 5. in the line of shadomes, which sheweth that C, is higher then the eye by the 5th. part of the distance of the bassis of the object, from the eye, supposed at A.

Secondly, if through the fights of the Instrument you fee the second object, B and the Index falling upon no part in the line of Badomes, then it sheweth that the point B, is level with the eye, for if in any observation the Index fall betweene the beginning of the line of shadomes, (which is neare the beginning of December) and the sight next

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the eye, it argueth that the object is higher then the eye, but if the Index fall beyond the beginning of the line of shadowes, then the object is lower

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Thirdly, if you observe the object X, ( the eye being at A,) then if in observing the Marke Constru-Athrough the fights of the Instrument, the Index shall fall beyond the beginning of the line of shadowes, that is from the Kalender number the degrees, in the Limbe from the edge of the Index unto that point, and account the fame backward from the point in the Limbe that is opposit to the beginning of the line of fondowes, and lay the edge of the Index unto it, then suppose the Index, in the line of shadowes interfect 8. which sheweth that the point X is lower then the levell of the eye, by the eight part of the distance from you to the marke. Now if the distance should be 100 foote, then the point X, shall be below the Horizontall line, or line of levell A B, 12. foote and which is the part of 1 00. the distance before specified.

Sixtly, how to finde the height of Pro. an Altitude above the levell of of the cye, either Accessible, or inaccessible.

Let, BC be an Altitude and the eye at, A di- Declara stant from the Basis of B, 100 stoote.

If through the fights of the Instrument the fummet of the Alistade B C, viz. C, be feene, and the Index falling upon 5, in the line of Chadowes, Construe it argueth the Alunde BC, to be the 5 th. 20.69. part of the diftance, viz. of A.B. which is 20. foot. Or let the Altitude of G, be fought out, whose Bafit cannot be feene Admit, the first station be made at A and feing the fummet of the Altitude G, the Index should cut a in the line of shadowes, it Argueth that the distance to the Basis of the Altitude, is triple to the Altitude, then if I should go neerer to the Alisade, viz. at D, and should observe the fummet or top of the Altitude G, and that the Index should fall upon I. in the line of shadowes, then it sheweth that the distance from D, to the Baju of the Alistude is equal to the Al-Now suppose that betweene D and A were 80, foote it should seeme that the Altitude observed should be 40. foote, for if at D, the distance to the Altitude be equal to the Alutude, & the distance from A, to the Alitude, be Triple to the Altitude, then the distance from D to the Altitude is the 1 of the distance AR & so AD, shall be double to DR, therefore halfe the distance AD, viz. 40. foot is the Alistade required.

Por. Seventhly, to measure any part
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not approachable.

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be measured.

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Firft, search out the height G R, as before 40. Confirme foote, then admit standing at A and looking to 810.70. H, through the fights, the Index should cut 4, which shewes the distance from A, to be Quadruple to the Altitude of HR, and if comming neerer the Alisade 80. foote, viz. at D, I should observe Hagaine, through the fights of the Instrument and finde the Index to cut I, and i, in the line of the shadowes, then the distance from D, to the Alistude H R, viz. D R, should containe the Alistude H R, once, and a third part of the Alistude, now feeing that DR, is I and 1, therefore HR, shall be I, but the observation at A shewed the distance from A, to the Altitude H R, to be Quadruple, and seeing that DR, is I, and I part of 3, therefore AD, must be 2, and 2 parts of 3, which makes A k, the whole diffance to be 4, or Quadruple to HR, but if AB, 2, and 2 parts be 80. foote then D R, being 1, and 1, part shall be 40 foote, and if D R, 1, and 1, be 40 foote, then HR, (which was I hould be but 30. foote, & fo confequently H R,)taken from GR, there shall remaine GH, 10. foote, the measure of the part of the Altitude required. In like manner might we applie the Instrument to the measuring of Bredths and distances: but that which is delivered may ferue for the present, and as fully sufficient for the Ingenious.

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might have Annexed unto this Traffat the demonstration of this Projection, which might have fatisfied those which are more learned, but to shew them it would be impertinent, feeing the thing lies to obulous: for others, it would not be respected or regarded, seeing the making, and practicall ale of the Instrument, principally & Totally they looke after which I have plentifully delivered. Now by way of Comparison it is faid in the description of Mafter Gunters Quadrant, that if a Quadrant were made ( as he there relateth ) unto a foote semidiameter, it should shew the Azimuth unto a degree, & the houre unto a minute. It is most probable that if this Horlzontal Quadrant have the fame femidiameter, it shal shew the boure unto half a minu; and the Azimuth unto 3 m. And if in this Traffat I have beene too obscure ( which I have avoyded as much as posfible I could, ) I intreat the Reader to excule me. I confesse I might more Methodically have digested it, and more aboundantly Amplified it, howfoever the affectionate I perswade my selfe will not spurne at that which I have delivered; as for the Malevolent I way not: my few houres would not permit me to make a long premeditation of fo great a facilitie. But if any one defire to fay more upon this Horizontall Quadrant, then I have done: I have made way for him, and vnuailed the subject, to helpe his fight,

From my house in Chancery-Lane, Ianuary, Anno. 1631.

Deus donat & digerit.

FINIS.

